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HORIMIYA

I BET EVERYBODY HAS A SIDE THEY DON'T SHOW ANYONE ELSE.

MORNING, YUKI.

MORNIIIN', HORI!

HUH!? YOU FORGOT TO TRANSLATE IT AT HOME AGAIN!?

WAAAH!

WE'VE GOT ENGLISH FIRST PERIOD TODAY, RIGHT!? LEMME COPY YOUR HOMEWORK PLEEEASE!

KARI (SCRIT) カリ…

OH! BY THE WAY...

...A FRIEND FROM ANOTHER SCHOOL ASKED ME FOR YOUR E-MAIL AND INFO.

WHAT SHOULD I DO?

CAN I TELL HIM?

NEED A MECHANICAL PENCIL AND ERASER TOO?

I SWEAR! WHAT WOULD YOU DO WITHOUT ME...? HERE.

HAN (CLAP)

THANK YOOOU! I OWE YOU ONE!

HORI-SAN.

HUH!? AGAIIIN !?

HE DIDN'T ASK ME HIMSELF, SO NO. TURN HIM DOWN, 'KAY?

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KORO (ROLL)

OH... THANKS.

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POSUN (PAFF)

YOU DROPPED YOUR ERASER.

とぼ…
TOBO (PLOD)

TOBO
とぼ…

THE TYPE WHO'D BE ALL SMILES LOOKING AT FIGURES!

SHE'S SERIOUSLY AWESOME FROM THIS ANGLE!

"MOEEE" ...?

YEAH, YEAH, EXACTLY LIKE THAT!! DON'T YOU THINK SO TOO, HORI!?

MIYAMURA SURE IS GLOOMY. NOT THAT THAT'S NEW...HE GIVES OFF A TOTAL OTAKU VIBE —!

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WELL, NEVER MIND HIM. I'M GOING TO KARAOKE WITH TAKAKO AND EVERYBODY TODAY. WANNA COME?

AHHH... SORRY. I'LL PASS.

YOU ALWAYS SAYYY THAAAT!

PAAAAA (BEAM)

FUI (FWIP)

UNLESS YOU TRY TO FIND OUT FOR YOURSELF ...

...YOU'LL NEVER GET A GLIMPSE OF WHAT SOMEONE ELSE IS REALLY LIKE.

SIGN: KARAOKE

I THINK THAT'S PRETTY MUCH HOW THINGS ARE.

—WELL ...

BYEEE, HORIII! COME WITH NEXT TIME, 'KAYYY?

BYEEE!

BAN (WHAM)

SIGN: HORI

KYU (CLIP)

...THAT GOES FOR ME TOO.

ZA (SHHK)

ZUGOGOGOOOOO (VREEEEEEEEEN)

I'VE GOT TO GO PICK SOUTA UP...!

HA (GASP)

SINCE I WAS A KID, MY PARENTS' JOBS HAVE KEPT THEM BOTH BUSY.

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KYAHAHAHAHA!
I KNOW, RIIIGHT!?
IT'S MY DUTY TO TAKE CARE OF MY LITTLE BROTHER.
SO I DON'T HAVE TIME TO HANG OUT WITH FRIENDS ON THE WAY BACK FROM SCHOOL.
C'MON, SOUTAAA! LET'S GO HOME!
OH, ONEE-CHAN!
—BUT STILL...
...IT'S NO BIG DEAL ONCE YOU'RE USED TO IT.
HUH? FOR REAL!?
I HEAR THE CLERKS ARE HOT!
HUHHH? I BET IT'LL BE CROWDED THOUGH.
WANNA GO CHECK OUT THAT STORE THAT WAS IN THAT MAGAZINE?
AND THAT'S MY DAILY ROUTINE— AT LEAST, IT WAS.
HOW ABOUT HAMBURGER STEAK TODAY?
YAYYY!
...THIS IS A SIDE OF ME I DON'T WANT MY FRIENDS TO SEE.

...TA...

HEY, WELCOME BACK, SOU...

HYOKO (PEEK)
ヒョコ。

GACHA (KACHA)
ガチャ

ONEE-CHAAAAN.

TSUUU (DRIIIP)

ER, EXCUSE ME...

DIDN'T YOU HAVE A HANDKERCHIEF?

FUKI (WIPE)
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FUKI
ふき

FELL.

GEEZ!

GAN (SHOCK)
ガン

SOUTA-AAAAA! WHAT DID YOU DO!?

U-UMM! IT LOOKS LIKE WE'VE CAUSED YOU TROUBLE, SO...

AH WAH WAH WAH WAH WAH!

OHHHH CRAP! I COMPLETELY IGNORED HIM!!

NOT AT ALL... I'LL SHOW MYSELF OUT.

KURU (TURN)

IT LOOKS LIKE HE'S OKAY, SO I'LL BE GOING.

HA (GASP)

GYUMU (TUG)

HUH .....? WELL, BUT...

UUUU...

ONII-CHAN... STAYYYYY...

SOUTA ...?

NO! ER, PLEASE, COME IN.

PLEASE STAY.

I'D LIKE TO THANK YOU ANYWAY.

THIS GUY HAS A TON OF PIERCINGS...

YOU BET!

ONII-CHAN, IS COFFEE BITTER?

NO, NO. THANK YOU.

SORRY FOR THE TROUBLE.

OH, THAT EXPLAINS THE NOSE-BLEED...

THANKS. YOU DIDN'T HAVE TO DO THAT.

SAY WHAAAT!?

ARF!

ARF!

ZUBUSHAAA (KERSPLAT)

A DOG STARTLED HIM, AND HE FELL DOWN.

AND I WAS RIGHT THERE, SO...

OH! NO, NOT REALLY...

HE'S SO CARELESS, I DON'T KNOW WHAT TO DO WITH HIM.

SOUTA-KUN... HE'S A SHARP KID.

HE WAS ABLE TO TELL ME HIS NAME AND ADDRESS.

HN !!?

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OH, GOSH, NOOO, NOT AT ALL ~!

STILL, IT'S AMAZING THAT YOU RUN THE HOUSE YOURSELF, HORI-SAN. I WAS SURPRISED.

PITA (FREEZE)

ピタッ

I-I...! I'M HORI, BUT...

...HUH? DO YOU GO TO MY SCHOOL?

?

HUH?

GATAN (CLATTER)

ガターン

WHA —!?

HUH? YOU ARE HORI-SAN, RIGHT? FROM CLASS 3...

IT'S ME, MIYAMURA. WE'RE IN THE SAME CLASS.

WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT?

THE REGULAR MIYAMURA IN HER HEAD

HUH?

COME AGAIN?

DID YOU NEED SOMETHING, HORI-SAN?

LET'S GO GRAB SOME LUNCH, DUDE!

SOUNDS GOOD!

HUUUU-UUUH!!?

ZLIOOON (POOOOOM)

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オォーン…

I STILL CAN'T BELIEVE IT, BUT... EVEN MORE THAN THAT, MORE THAN ANYTHING...

THAT ↓

WAS THAT REALLY THE SAME LIFE-FORM ...?

GUGIGIGIGI (SKREEEEEK)

R-REALLY ...?

IT'S NOTHING.

HORI...WHAT'S UP WITH THAT CRAZY FACE...? YOU OKAY?

JIII (STAAARE)

FOR SOME REASON, IT'S KIIINDA HARD TO TALK TO HIM...

CHIRA (PEEK)

WHAT'S GOING ON WITH HORI?

H-HORI...? YOU SURE YOU'RE OKAY?

HYOKO (POP)

BURU (TREMBLE)

...HE SAW ME WITHOUT MAKEUP ...!

EVEN YUKI AND TAKAKO HAVEN'T SEEN ME LIKE THAT!

H-HUH? HORI!?

SUTA (STALK) スタ

SUTA スタ

GATAN (CLATTER) ガタ

URRRGH...

.....

PARA (FLIP) ぱら...

GOT A MINUTE?

MIYA-MURA.

CAN I REALLY COME OVER AND HANG OUT AGAIN?

HUH?

NO NEED! DON'T GO OUT OF YOUR WAY TO SPOIL HIM!

OH. WELL, IN THAT CASE, I'LL BUY HIM A PICTURE BOOK OR SOMETHING.

HE KEEPS SAYING HE WANTS TO PLAY WITH ONII-CHAN AGAIN!!

REALLY?

N-NOT WITH ME! SOUTA!!

THAT WAS A SUR-PRISE ...

WHAT WAS?

OHHHH, THANK GOODNESS. SOUTA WILL BE HAPPY!

.....

I WOULDN'T DO THAT.

AFTER YESTERDAY, I JUST ASSUMED...

YOU COMING TO TALK TO ME.

...I GUESS I WAS SURE YOU'D ...

...TOTALLY AVOID ME.

BUT...THAT MAKES TWO OF US, SO...IT'S NO REASON FOR ME TO AVOID Y—

YOU WERE NOTHING LIKE YOU ARE AT SCHOOL.

I MEAN, YEAH, I'M DEFINITELY FEELING A LITTLE AWKWARD, AND YES, I WAS FREAKED OUT.

UM, I'M NOT REALLY USED TO HEARING THAT SORT OF THING.

AH WAH WAH WAH!

...WHY ARE YOU BLUSHING ...!?

!?

IT FEELS WEIRD, I GUESS...

FUWA (SMILE)

THANKS!

KAAAA (BLUSH)

OH...

YOU SHOULD WEAR YOUR HAIR UP LIKE YESTERDAY MORE OFTEN... AND LOSE THE GLASSES.

BIKU (JUMP)

YEAH ...

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MIYA-MURA'S GOT A PRETTY DECENT SMILE...

SARARI (NONCHALANT)

MAYBE NINE?

FOUR IN EACH EAR, ONE IN MY LIP.

BUT ...

...MY PIERCINGS WOULD SHOW.

HOW MANY DO YOU HAVE ANYWAY?

THAT'S WHAT MY MOM SAID.

AH-HA-HA-HA!

.....

THAT'S TOO MANY, IF YOU ASK ME.

SINCE MIYAMURA STARTED COMING OVER,
I'VE LEARNED A FEW THINGS.

① HE ISN'T REALLY AN OTAKU.

MOEEEE!

I DON'T COLLECT FIGURES EITHER.

I LIKE MANGA, BUT...

...I'M NOT QUITE A "MOEEEE" GUY.

② HIS FAMILY APPARENTLY RUNS A BAKERY.

I BROUGHT CAAAKE!

③ HE PIERCED HIMSELF WITH A SAFETY PIN IN MIDDLE SCHOOL.

AND...

YEAH... IT DEFINITELY HURT WHEN I MADE THEM...

...HE'S NOT A TERRIBLY GOOD STUDENT.

I DON'T GET IT ...!

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I-IT'S NOTHING SPECIAL.

HORI-SAN, YOU'RE AMAZIIIING! THESE ARE ALMOST ALL IN THE 90s!

FINAL EXAMS. IF YOU FAIL, YOU HAVE TO TAKE MAKE-UP EXAMS.

PARA (FLAP)

WHAT IS THIS?

KERO (UNFAZED)

HTRO

ARE THEY?

.....

...ANYWAY, AREN'T QUIET PEOPLE WITH GLASSES USUALLY GOOD IN SCHOOL?

URGH!

THERE, SEE? THAT'S THE MOST BASIC PROBLEM THERE IIIS!

HA HA HA!

THEN, HOW ABOUT THIS ONE? LET'S SEE YOU FIND THE RANGE OF x!

E-EKKS ...?

DO TOOO!!

PUHIII (SNORT)

OHHHH, SOUTA DOESN'T UNDER-STAND THAT STUFF YET!

HUUUH!?

BUT THEY LET YOU MOVE ON TO THE NEXT GRADE AS LONG AS YOU DON'T ACTUALLY FAIL, YOU KNOW!?

PEOPLE WHO CAN'T EVEN FIND THEIR WAY AROUND THE BASICS SHOULDN'T LAUGH...

GAN (SHOCK)

I KNOW THAT!!

AND FOR SOME REASON, YOUR ONE PERFECT SCORE IS IN HEALTH AND PHYS ED...

THAT'S A PRETTY TOUGH CLASS TO ACE.

TERE (BLUSH)

PERA (FLAP)

MAYBE I'M JUST GOOD AT FINDING MY WAY AROUND THE HUMAN BODY...

STOP THAT. THE WAY YOU SAY IT MAKES IT SOUND DIRTY.

ONII-CHAN, WHAT'S HELLPH AND FIZZ ED?

HNNN? WELL, IT'S SORTA LIKE—

HON-ESTLY...

GASA (RUSTLE)

GASA

—SEE-ING HIM LIKE THIS...

PASA (FWAP)

...MY FIRST IMPRES-SION OF MIYAMURA ACTUALLY WAS.

...MAKES ME REALIZE ALL OVER AGAIN HOW OFF...

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I DON'T THINK THERE ARE MANY PEOPLE ...

...WHO KNOW THIS SIDE OF HIM.

WHAT'S THAT? A SUPERMARKET FLYER?

YEP, YEP, YEP.

THERE'S A TIMED SALE ON EGGS TOMOR...

FU (WHFF)

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98円均一

HIS BOTTOM EYELASHES ARE SURPRISINGLY LONG!..

—OH...

EGGS WILL BE CHEAP. PLUS, THERE'S NO PER-PERSON LIMIT.

BUT THIS ONLY RUNS TILL 4:00 P.M. YOU'D BE CUTTING IT CLOSE IF YOU GO AFTER SCHOOL, RIGHT?

NAH, IT'LL BE FINE!

RATS... I STARTED STARING AT HIM WITHOUT THINKING.

AHEM!

LIKE I WAS SAYING, THEY'RE HAVING A TIMED SALE.

HORI-SAN?

HA (GASP)

98円均一

KIIIN (DIIING)

KOOON (DOOONG)

...I'LL GO WRESTLE US SOME EGGS!

AS LONG AS THERE'S NO EMERGENCY COMMITTEE MEETING OR ANYTHING ...

KYU (FLEX)

WHAT'S WITH THIS TIMING ...!?

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ZUUUN (DEPRESSED)

— All committee members, please report...

...to the AV room immediately after home-room...

AH... HORI-SA—

SHUBABABA (KASHOOM)

You got Mail

PIPIPIPIPI PIPIPI

KAKO (TAK)

KAKO

KAKO

KAKO

KAKO

KAKO

PI (BIP)

...GIVE UP!!

I CAN'T ...

BA (WHAP)

STILL ...!

KAPPA (KAPOP)

...IN OTHER WORDS, GO BUY THEEEM—!!!?

BISHAAAA (KRAKOOOM)

TEE-HEE-HEE!

PAKA (FWIP)

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Hori-san
You're coming over today, right?
Time-sale eggs: Tag. Thanks!

IF YOU WANT MIYAMURA, HE JUST RAN OFF.

ABRUPTLY GONE

WHAT THE —? MIYAMURA?

MIYAMURAAA. SO ABOUT OUR TEAM'S REPORT— HUH...?

GUI (YANK)

TWENTY MINUTES LEFT...

TA (TMP)

TA

YIKES!

TA

IT'S ALREADY HOT OUT, AND NOW I HAVE TO RUN!?

GATA (CLATTER)

DA (DASH)

PROBABLY FASTER TO SKIP THE MAIN ENTRANCE ALTOGETHER AND SLIP OUT THE SIDE, HUH...!?

GU

HFF!

SU (SLIP) ヘ～。

AH.

YESSS! NOBODY HERE!

TA (TMP) TA TA TA

I'LL JUST GO RIGHT OVER...

...THE FENCE AND—

GASHA (KLASH)

EEP!

—OH...

IT'S THE GIRL WHO'S ALWAYS WITH HORI-SAN...

THE EGGS!!

DA (DASH)

TON (THMP)

SORRY!

WAH!

—…

WHAT THE HECK WAS THAT ABOUT …?

E…

EGGS …?

BYUN (ZOOM)

HUNH!? WAIT! WHAAA —!!?

GEEZ, HE'S FAST!!

I'M SO, SOOO SORRY —!

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...OMELET RICE.

TODAY WE'RE HAVING...

OHHH GEEZ —!

CHOOOON (DIIIING)

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MUKURI (SHUP)

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OH... BY THE WAY.

BUT YOU BOUGHT THREE CARTONS. THAT'S INCREDIBLE! YOU WENT ABOVE AND BEYOND!

I'M NEVER..... EVER GOING TO ANOTHER SALE.....!

GUTTARI (SLUMP)

HOUSE-WIVES ARE SCARY...

C'MON, SOUTA, SIT DOWN!

OOOOH!

KATAN (CLATTER)

カタン

UU! UUU...

HFF!

HFF!

THE GIRL YOU CALL YUKI, HORI-SAN.

WHAT!? WHO!? RAN INTO WHO!?

イラ (IRA)

WELL...

ERR...

UMM, WELL...

...I RAN INTO SOMEONE. BY ACCI-DENT.

THAT IS...

THANKS FOR THE FOOD.

YEAH.

YOU SURE IT WAS YUKI ...?

WAIT... YOU MET HER LOOKING LIKE THAT?

CHIKU (TWINGE)

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OH...

MO (NOM) モ

MO モ

YOU'RE MAKING A MESS, KIDDO.

WE DIDN'T TALK OR ANYTHING.

I SEE—

YUM.

MO もっ

モMO

HMMM.

WHAT IN THE WORLD...

...AM I THINKING?

—FOR SOME REASON ...

...I DON'T WANT ANYBODY BUT ME...

...TO SEE THIS SIDE OF YOU...

I'LL MAKE US SOME BARLEY TEA.

SORRYYY! IT'S NOTHING.

KATAN (CLATTER)

FORGET I SAID IT.

ONII-CHAN, AREN'T YOU GONNA EAT?

OH, MAYBE THERE'S STILL SOME IN THE FRIDGE?

UM, HORI-SAN...

...AND WHEN YOU'RE COOKING...

...AND WHEN YOU GET ALL LOUD...

...WHEN YOU'RE ANGRY...

ME TOO. WHEN YOU'RE DRESSED LIKE THAT...

THAT MAKES TWO OF US...

ZUUUN (GLUM)

...I FEEL LIKE I WOULDN'T WANT TO SHARE ALL THAT WITH ANYONE ELSE.

...AND, UM...I'M KINDA INTO THE WHOLE BRAWN THING YOU HAVE GOING ON...

GYAAASU (HISSSS)

...ACTUALLY... EVEN THE WAY YOU WEAR YOUR HAIR ALL WHATEVER AT HOME...

THAT'S ENOUGH OUTTA YOU!!

...“THIS TIME IS MEANT JUST FOR ME.”

THAT’S THE FEELING I GET.

KARA (CLINK) カラ

YOU KNOW, IT’S LIKE...

KARAAAN カラ

GO (WHAM)

THAT'S THE DUMB-EST THING I EVER HEARD!!

—TH...

COLD!!!

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YORO (SWAY)

BURU (SHAKE)

BURU

SHUUU (STEAM)

ONEE-CHAN, WHERE'S MIIINE?

DING DING DING.

JIN (STING)

?

?

IS IT AN UNCON-SCIOUS TIC!? IS HE TOTALLY CLUE-LESS!!?

HOW CAN HE SAY SERIOUSLY EMBAR-RASSING STUFF LIKE THAT WITH A STRAIGHT FACE!?

ARGH, GEEZ!!
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KOSO (MUMBLE)

ONCE ONEE-CHAN STARTS CALLING YOU "DUMB," SHE DOESN'T STOP!

OH YEAH?

YOU'RE DUUUMB! DUMMY, DUMMY.

MIYAMURA, YOU DUM-DUM.

I MEAN, I KNOW I'M NOT BRIGHT, BUT...

"DUMB" ...?

YOU'RE SO DUMB! REALLY DUMB...SO VERY, VERY DUMB.

POSU (FLUME)

POSU

POSU.

SAY WHAAAA—?

EVERY-BODY HAS A SIDE...

...THEY DON'T SHOW ANYONE ELSE.

I DON'T GET IT!

MO (NOM)

MO

WH—

WHAT!?

HA HA HA!

WOWWW, YOU'RE RIGHT!

SO DUMB, DUMB AS A POST, KING DUM-DUM.

DUMB DUMB, TOTAL DUMMY!

DON'T GET ME WRONG. IT'S NOT THAT I DON'T LIKE WHO YOU ARE AT SCHOOL, BUT...

...THIS YOU, THE ONE WHO GETS MAD LIKE THAT AND DOESN'T DRESS UP AT HOME...

WE MAY HAVE STUM-BLED ONTO ...

...EACH OTHER'S SIDES BY CHANCE, BUT...

... YEAH.

...I THINK THIS HORI-SAN...

FUWA (BEAM)

...IS WAY CUTER.

HAAH...

はぁ!!

~~~...!

...THE TWO OF US...

...HAVE ENDED UP SHARING TIME RESERVED FOR OUR EYES ONLY...

...WITH EACH OTHER.

YOU KNOW WHAT? JUST SAY WHATEVER YOU WANT.

DUMMY.
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HORIMIYA

THIS IS MIYAMURA-KUN. IN A TOTAL ONE-EIGHTY FROM THE GLOOMY, PLAIN VIBE HE GIVES OFF AT SCHOOL...

...HE SPENDS HIS DAYS OFF IN THE GUISE OF A LIBERALLY PIERCED BAD BOY, AS SEEN HERE.

PIERCED

PLAIN JANE

THIS IS HORI-SAN. WHEN SHE'S AT HOME, SHE WEARS ZERO MAKEUP UNLIKE AT SCHOOL AND DEVOTES HERSELF TO HOUSEWORK.

...PIERCINGS TO SHOW.

I REALLY DON'T WANT MY...

MY BROTHER'S KEEPER!

GATAN (CLATTER)

H-HORI-SAN! WHAT AM I GONNA DO!!?

FUU (SIGH)

HE STOPS BY ON MOST VACATION DAYS TOO.

THANKS TO A MINOR INCIDENT, THE PAIR STUMBLED ONTO EACH OTHER'S HIDDEN SIDES.

NOW THEY'RE ACCOMPLICES, KEEPING THE SAME SECRET.

KURU (TURN)

"THINGS"? WHAT THINGS .....?

PEOPLE WILL... SEE THINGS!!

NOW THAT YOU MENTION IT... OHHH...

THAT'S GOOD THOUGH. BETTER THAN RUNNING MARATHONS IN THIS HEAT.

NO, IT'S BAD!

JYUUU (SIZZLE)

AH BAH BAH BAH BAH!!

IT'S AWFUL! THEY'RE OPENING THE POOL!

DON (BAM)

BIKU (SHOCK)

GUI (YANK)

WHAT DO I DO ABOUT THESE !!?

BAN (WHAM)

WHAAAT!?

AND SWIMMING'S AN ELECTIVE, BY THE WAY...

SOMETIMES I DON'T KNOW IF YOU'RE SERIOUSLY AMAZING OR SERIOUSLY STUPID...

...MIYA-MURA.

KARAN (CLATTER)

カラーン…

KARAAAN

THEY HAVE A LOT TO LEARN ABOUT EACH OTHER.

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HORIMIYA

GUTAA (LIMP)

SO!

HOTTTT!!

ナニぉ…

WELL! AT LEAST ONE OF US IS SOLDIERING THROUGH IT!

OHHH!

NO WAY CAN WE HAVE GYM UNDER THAT SUN OUT THERE...

YOU SAID IT...

URRRGH...

WHAT IS WITH THIS HEAT...? I'M TELLING YOU, IF IT WEREN'T FOR AC, WE'D BE DEAD...!

FOR REAL?

MAYBE HE GETS COLD SUPER-EASY...?

...NOPE, SO NOT IT...

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COME TO THINK OF IT... HE WEARS THE SAME UNIFORM YEAR ROUND, DOESN'T HE?

MIYAMURA, HMMM—?

KACCHIRI (SHARP)

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HE'S JUST TOUGHING OUT THE HEAT...!

HAAH... はあ…

ACCORDING TO THE MAN HIMSELF, "TATTOOS SHOW THROUGH DRESS SHIRTS"...

HIS EYES ARE DEAD...

BUT I'VE GOTTEN KINDA CHUBBY LATELY —!

SO I'M OUT FOR NOW.

GAN (SHOCK)

ガーン

THIS HEAT REALLY MAKES ME WANT TO HIT THE POOL.

I WISH THERE WAS ONE NEARBY—

ZAWA (MURMUR)

ザワッ

HORI IN A SWIM-SUIT!?

YES, PLEASE!

YEAH...

WH-WHAAAT!?

YOU CALL THAT CHUBBY, HORI ...!?

BOOHOO... HOO...

BOYS SURE ARE... SOMETHING ELSE...

.....

HUH!?

WHEN DID THAT HAP-PEN!?

I HAD NO IDEA!

OOOH!

YOU MEAN THE BRAND-NEW ONE? SOUNDS GREAT —!

WANNA CHECK OUT THE ICE-CREAM PLACE IN FRONT OF THE TRAIN STATION?

ANYWAY, ARE YOU GUYS FREE AFTER SCHOOL?

.....

.....
...OHHH.
WELL—

REALLY?

IT'S A PRETTY FAMOUS SHOP...

I'M SURPRISED YOU'RE NOT IN THE KNOW, HORI!

HYOKO (POP)

YOU DO SEEM PRETTY BUSY.

I DON'T EAT OUT MUCH...

OOOH, WHAT'S THIS?

YOU'RE GOING FOR ICE CREAM?

GYAA (BICKER)

GYAA

I CARE!!

AWWW, WHAT'S THE BIG DEAL? WHO CARES —?

WOULD YOU LOOK AT WHAT JUST SLITHERED OVER!? YOU BOYS ARE SO OBVIOUS!!

DAAAH!

YOU GOING TOO, HORI?

WELL, IT IS PRETTY HOT TODAY.

WARA (SWARM)

WARA

WARA

...A SIDE TRIP, HUH?

.....LUCKY.

BOTA ぼた

HAAAAH...

WAS WAYYYY TOO HOT —!

THAT.

HAAAAH...

BOTA (DRIP) ぼた

THEY WERE MAKING A FUSS ABOUT ICE CREAM OR SOMETHING, I THINK...

OH YEAH. I WONDER IF HORI-SAN IS GONNA GO COOL OFF WITH EVERYBODY ON THE WAY HOME TODAY...

SHE REALLY IS POPULAR...

HAAH...

STARBUCKS! I'LL GO TO STARBUCKS AND BUY A FEW GALLONS OF SOMETHING COLD!

ARE YOU OKAY ...?

YORO ヨロ

YORO (TOTTER) ヨロ..

ALREADY HALF-DEAD

日色保育園

...SOUTA?

SIGN: HIIRO PRESCHOOL

WAAAAH!

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IT'S STILL SO WEIRD THAT I GET TO TALK TO HER AS MUCH AS I DO...

HMMM...

Y-YOU HIT ME!!

SEE, THERE YOU GO CURLING UP INTO A BALL ALL OVER!

THAT'S WHY YOU'RE WEAK, SOUTA!

DON'T CRY! YOU'RE S'POSED TO BE A BOY!

BISHI (JAB)

STUUUPID SOUTA!

KOSO (SNEAK)

.....!

WHY NOT ASK YOUR BIG SISTER TO RESCUE YOU AGAIN?

YOU KNOW WHAT THAT'S CALLED? A "SISTER COMPLEX"!!

.....
THAT... DOESN'T QUITE LOOK LIKE BULLYING...

O—!

GUSU (SNIFFLE)

ONEE—!

CHA...

!?

ONII-CHAAAN!!

DAAAAAAA!

BA (WHAP)

AND THEN LET'S GO TO STARBUCKS! STARBUCKS!!

HEYYYY! WHAT'RE YOU DOING, SOUTA? IT'S TIME TO GOOO!!

WHAT!?

BIKU (JOLT)

H—

HOLD IT RIGHT THERE ...!

PATAN (SHUT)

ORANGE JUICE FOR YOU, RIGHT, SOUTA!?

KAKO カコ

KAKO カコ

BETTER TEXT HORI-SAN FIRST...

I CAN DRINK COFFEE!

FOR REAL!?

KAKO (TAP) カコ

POFU (POOMF) ぽふっ

OHHH MAN ...!

YOU BE QUIET, SOUTA-AAAAA!!

HE'S MY BIG BROTHER!!

HYOKO (POP) ヒョコ

DUMMYYYY!

WH—

WHO ARE YOU ...?

TAJI (RECOIL) たじ!

HUP! THERE WE GO!

I'M SORRY.

DID YOU NEED SOUTA FOR SOME-THING?

ERM! WHAT'S YOUR NAME?

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CHIRA (PEEK)

...YUUNA OKUYAMA.

D-DID SOMEBODY TELL HER THAT...?

I HAVE A GIANT FOREHEAD!!

I'M NOT CUTE!

!?

KUWA (ROAR)

FORE-HEAD!?

...HEY, LISTEN.

YUUNA-CHAN, HUH?

I THINK IT WOULD BE MUCH BETTER IF YOU ACTED LIKE THE CUTE LITTLE GIRL YOU ARE.

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PIKU (FLINCH)

THAT FLOWER BARRETTE LOOKS REALLY GOOD ON YOU, SO SMILE.

...THEY SHINE, JUST LIKE FLOWERS.

WHEN GIRLS SMILE...

PIKUN (FLINCH)

OKAY?

NIKO (BEAM)

...HUH ...?

WOWWW...

"LIKE FLOWERS" ...

OH. RIGHT. I GOT IT FOR HIM ON THE WAY HOME. WE STOPPED AT A BOOK-STORE.

SUKAAA (ZZZ)

HM...? THAT PICTURE BOOK SOUTA'S HOLDING ...

?

HUH!?

YEAH. I DIDN'T KNOW WHAT ELSE TO DO.

SO THAT'S WHY YOU WERE WITH SOUTA... YOU CAUGHT ME OFF GUARD SINCE IT'S A WEEKDAY.

CHUUU (SLURP)

DOSA (THUMP)

BOOK: NIGHT OF THE CRYBABY MONSTER

CAN I GET THIIIS?

OHHH! FIND A GOOD ONE?

GEEZ, UM... THANKS SO MUCH, SERIOUSLY...

URGGGH...!

HAA (SIGH)

AND SOUTA SEEMS FOND OF THAT BOOK TOO.

IT'S FINE. I'M DOING IT 'COS I ENJOY IT.

SO MUCH HE'S HUGGING IT IN HIS SLEEP.

OH.

I NEED TO GET THESE GROCERIES INTO THE FRIDGE...

...THEY'RE ALL GIFTS FOR SOUTA THOUGH.

GASA (RUSTLE)

—WELL...

MIYAMURA OFTEN BUYS STUFF WHEN HE COMES OVER.

THE ROOM'S CRAMMED WITH GIFTS FROM HIM.

AHHH, BUT THANKS TO YOUR TEXT, I GOT TO TAKE MY TIME SHOPPING.

PATA

PATA

PATA (PAD)

NOW THAT YOU MENTION IT, THOSE BAGS...

HUH ...?

DIDN'T YOU GO OUT FOR ICE CREAM ...?

..... OF COURSE I DIDN'T GO.

I HAVE TO TAKE CARE OF THE HOUSE.

SO JUST YOU COMING OVER IS A HUGE HELP, MIYAMURA.

GASA (RUSTLE)

GASA

...DOESN'T USUALLY GET THIS ATTACHED TO PEOPLE.

YOU KNOW, SOUTA ...

—I HAVE TO DO A BETTER JOB OF HOLDING IT TOGETHER ...

NO MATTER HOW OLD HE GETS, IT'S ALWAYS "ONEE-CHAN, ONEE-CHAN!"

SUUU (ZZZ)

...ACTUALLY, HE ALMOST NEVER SAYS "DADDY" OR "MOMMY"...

MAYBE WE'RE MAKING HIM PUT UP WITH TOO MUCH.

PATAN (SHUT)

DOSA (FWUMP)

PHEW...

...SA— HORI...

BY THE WAY!

GIKU (JOLT)

ギクッ

HA (GASP)

HUH? DON'T TELL ME...YOU DIDN'T GET ME ANY...?

WHERE'S MY JUICE ...?

H-HUH!?

?

HORI-SAN?

(TOTALLY CAN'T SAY HE FORGOT...)

.....

.....

HERE.

SU (SHF)

HEY!

WHAT THE HECK? THIS IS A LATTE!

HUH!? YOU DON'T LIKE LATTES !?

UUUHN...

AAAH, SOUTA'S GONNA WAKE UP!

WHEW...

.....

THANKS.

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PATAN (SHUT)

PLAIN COFFEE'S A LITTLE TOO BITTER, YOU KNOW...

'KAY.

GEEZ...

I'M JUST GOING TO GO CHANGE...

ZURU (SLIDE)

ZURU

ZURU

.....

.....

DO

DO (BADUM)

...SHOCKED MEEEE——!!!

AN INDIRECT KIIIISS!

TH-TH-TH-THAT REALLY, REALLY...

"HERE."

THAT'S ANNOY-ING...

I'M NOT SURE WHY...

...BUT IT IS...

...IT PROBABLY DIDN'T MEAN ANYTHING TO MIYAMURA...

I'LL BET...

I'LL HAVE TO REMEMBER THAT...

BUT HORI-SAN ISN'T A FAN.

HRRRRN.

LATTES...

...ARE SO YUMMY THOUGH...

HITA (DRIP)

"OF COURSE I DIDN'T GO."

"...TAKE CARE OF THE HOUSE."

"I HAVE TO...

CHUUU (SLURP)

.....

POKE (DAZED)

TH...

THERE REALLY IS ONE...

ZAWA (MURMUR)

ZAWA

ZAWA

KIRA (SPARKLE)

KIRA

KIRA

KIRA

...HUH?

HORI?

IT'S ALL TRENDY AND CUTE.

PRETTY CROWDED TOO...

JIII (STARE)

KARAN (JINGLE)

KARAAAN

THANK YOU VERY MUUUCH!

WHY!? SHE COULDN'T GO LAST TIME 'COS OF HER CLUB!?

DO (BADUM)

DO

DO

AAAAH... BUT I THINK...

...I MUST'VE GOT IT WRONG.

DO

I MEAN, SHE'S NOT PLAIN LIKE THAT...

BA (WHIP)

YUKI!! —!!?

FRIEND OF YOURS?

?

...I THOUGHT SO AT FIRST...

I HAVE TO TAKE CARE OF SOUTA.

.....

IT'S BETTER LIKE THIS...

I DON'T HAVE TIME TO MESS AROUND WITH FRIENDS. THERE'S NO HELPING IT.

HUH. WELL, LET'S GO, THEN.

MAN, THAT SURE WAS DELISH, RIIIGHT!?

THAT'S JUST THE WAY IT IS...

THERE YOU ARE, HORI-SAN.

OH!

THANKS... FOR SOUTA?

I ONLY STOPPED BY TO DROP SOMETHING OFF.

MIYAMURA ...? HUH? DID YOU SAY YOU'D COME BY TODAY?

PERFECT TIMING.

NOPE.

GASA (SHFF)

FOR YOU.

—HUH?

...I KNOW THAT YOU'RE...

PIKU (FLINCH)

...WORKING REALLY HARD.

H-HUH!? FOR ME ...!?

WATA (PANIC)

WATA

ERM, SEE...

...HEY, HORI-SAN.

I DO KNOW.

MIYA-MURA ...!

I'LL BE GOING, THEN...

PEKO (BOW)

KA (STEP)

KA

KA

...MI —!

...TH...

...ANK YOU.

—TH...

THAT'S MY LINE.

IT WAS THE FIRST TIME...

...MIYAMURA BOUGHT SOMETHING FOR ME.

"...I KNOW...

"...THAT YOU'RE WORKING REALLY HARD."

ONEE-CHAN! I'M HUNGRYYY!

IT'S THE SORT OF RING YOU KEEP ON DISPLAY. HOW PRETTY...

I'LL FIX DINNER IN A MIIINUTE!

C'MONNNN, ONEE-CHAN ——!!

OKAY, OKAYYY!!

GEEEEEZ!

PATA (PAD)

PATA

PATA

PATAN (SHUT)

HA HA!

WELL, WHAT-EVER.

I WONDER WHY HE SAID, "THAT'S MY LINE"...?

YUMMM!

MO, MO (NOM)

HORIMIYA

HORI'S CHEERFUL AND NICE TO EVERYONE...

...SO I PREPARED MYSELF FOR ALL THE GUYS WHO'D SET THEIR SIGHTS ON HER.

.....

BA (WHAP) ばっ

AAAH!

GIMME!

Y'KNOWWW...

YOU SEE THOSE TWO TOGETHER A LOT THESE DAYS—

BUT.

OOH, APPLE JUICE.

...

WHAT DO YOU THINK IS GOING ON?

HUH, TOORU?

I NEVER SAW THAT MIYAMURA COMING.

...HOW THE HELL WOULD I KNOW?

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GOOD STUDENTS REALLY ARE AMAZING...

YESSS! THANKS, HORI!

YOU GUYS ARE HOPELESS, SHEESH!

HUH? AWWW, C'MON!

OH!

ME TOOOO!

HORIII! LEMME SEE YOUR NOTES!

HUH?

AREN'T WE POPULAR?

KATAN (CLATTER)

カタ

IT'S ISHIKAWA-KUN... WE'VE NEVER REALLY TALKED BEFORE. HOW UNUSUAL...

SOWA (FIDGET)

そわ

SOWA

そわ

SO, MIYA-MURA—!

OHH...

YES, SHE IS.

HORI, I MEAN.

TH-THAT'S ABSURD! HOW COULD YOU EVEN THINK SUCH A THING ...!?

NG!

HA-HA!

Y-YEAH, YOU'RE RIGHT ...!

GO

ゴゴゴ GO GO GO

A-ARE YOU GOING OUT ...?

GO ゴ

GO (THOOM) ゴゴゴゴ GO GO

PISHI (FREEZE)

YOU AND HORI SURE ARE CLOSE LATELY.

HAA (SIGH) はぁ...

YOU AND HORI AREN'T REALLY ANYTHING ALIKE.

ER.

BOSO

BOSO (MUMBLE) ボソ

YES.

W-WE WOULDN'T MATCH...

HORI-SAN AND I WOULDN'T MAKE A GOOD COUPLE.

SU (SLINK) スス SU スス SUUU

OH... YEAH.

YOU'RE RIGHT...

WHY IS HE BEING SO AGGRESSIVE TOWARD ME?

DID I DO SOMETHING TO HIM...?

JITOOO (GLARE)

I-I'M SORRY!

USE YOUR WORDS, DUDE!

HORIII! WE HAVE TO GO GET CHANGED!

NOW THERE'S A WEIRD DUO!

PIN (CLICK)

...OH.

ISHIKAWA-KUN...

—HUH ...!?

KAAA (BLUUUSH)

SUPA (BLURT)

...DO YOU MAYBE...

...LIKE HORI-SAN?

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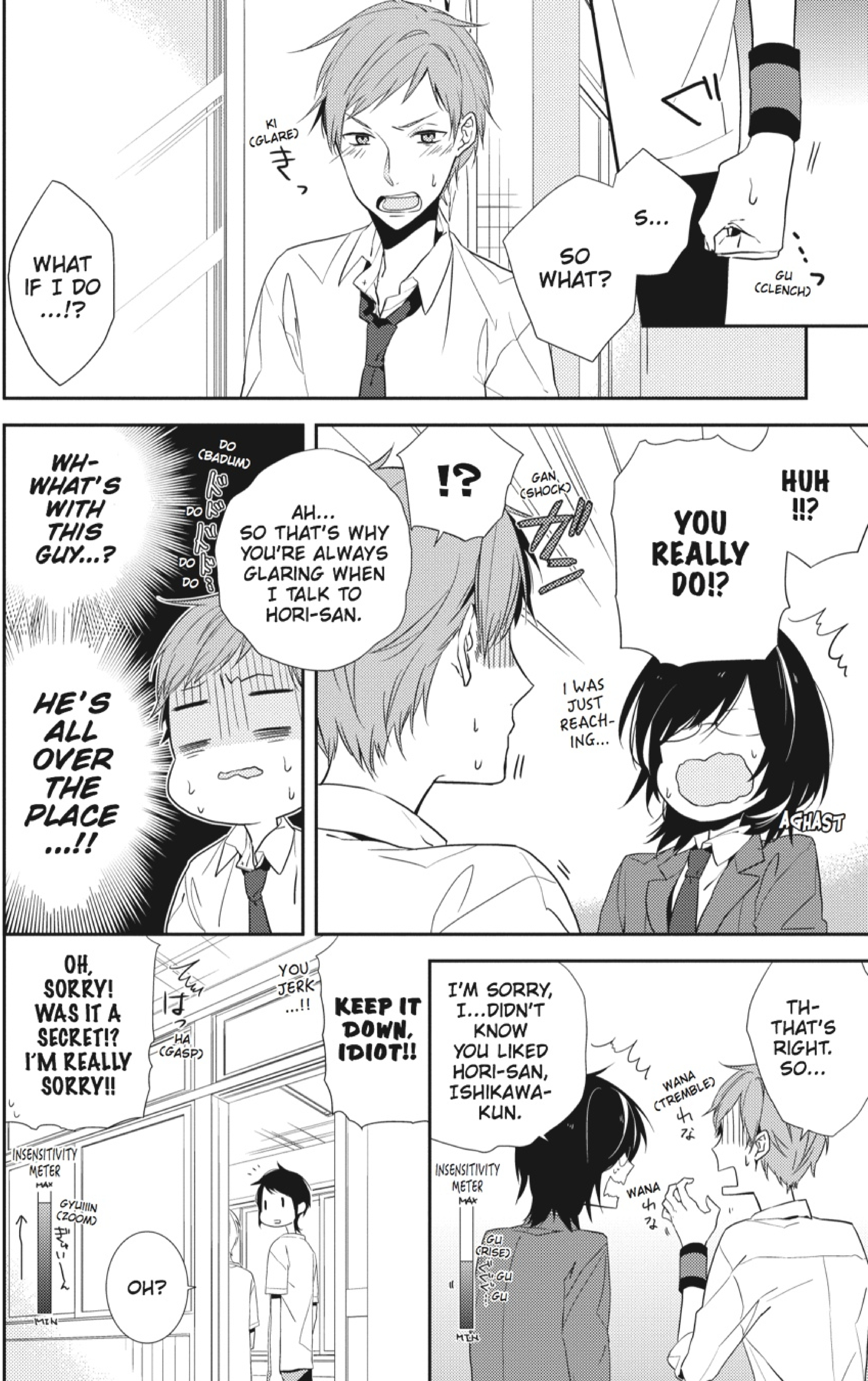
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GU (CLENCH)
KI (GLARE)
WHAT IF I DO ...!?
HUH !!?
YOU REALLY DO!?
!?
GAN (SHOCK)
I WAS JUST REACHING...
AGHAST
AH... SO THAT'S WHY YOU'RE ALWAYS GLARING WHEN I TALK TO HORI-SAN.
DO (BADUM)
DO
DO
DO
WH-WHAT'S WITH THIS GUY...?
HE'S ALL OVER THE PLACE ...!!
TH-THAT'S RIGHT. SO...
WANA (TREMBLE)
WANA
I'M SORRY, I...DIDN'T KNOW YOU LIKED HORI-SAN, ISHIKAWA-KUN.
INSENSITIVITY METER
MAX
MIN
GU (RISE)
GU
GU
KEEP IT DOWN, IDIOT!!
YOU JERK ...!!
HA (GASP)
OH, SORRY! WAS IT A SECRET!? I'M REALLY SORRY!!
INSENSITIVITY METER
MAX
GYUIIIN (ZOOM)
MIN
OH?

!!!

ARE YOU CUTTING?

WHAT ARE YOU GUYS DOING? WE HAVE GYM NEXT, REMEMBER?

THAT LOOKS HOT, LIKE, WHOA...

LISTEN... I'VE BEEN WONDERING. IT'S THE MIDDLE OF SUMMER, SO WHY ARE YOU DRESSED FOR WINTER?

HUH!?

UMM ...

JIII (ZIP)

..... HRN!?

WE'RE ALREADY LATE, SO LET'S JUST TAKE OUR TIME...

AWW... THERE GOES THE BELL...

KIIIN (DING)

MEN'S LOCKER ROOM

KOOON (DONG)

NO, IT'S NOT THAT!

IS IT A SCAR...OR SOMETHING ...?

IF SO, MY BAD.

HUHHHN?

THEN WEAR SHORT SLEEVES, DUDE.

HEY!

YOU'RE SWEATING.

HA HA...

..... I'M ALWAYS COLD...?

DARA (DRIP)

GYU (CLUTCH)

...IS HORI-SAN.

...IT'S WEIRD FOR ME TO SAY THIS TO YOU, ISHIKAWA-KUN, BUT TO TELL THE TRUTH...

...THE ONLY PERSON WHO'S SEEN WHAT'S UNDER HERE...

.....

YOU COULD END UP GETTING DEHYDRATED LIKE THAT, Y'KNOW?

JIII (ZIP)

LIKE I'D EVER DO THAT!

OH...UM, YOU'RE NOT GONNA GO TELL THE TEACHERS ON ME OR ANYTHING ...?

OKAY, THEN. I'LL SHOW YOU...

HORI!?

WHY!?

OOOH! HE TOOK THE BAIT...

PASA (FLAP)
ぽすっ

IT'D TURN INTO A SERIOUS PAIN IN THE BUTT, SO DON'T TELL ANYBODY. I MEAN IT.

!!

LOOK, I'LL BE HONEST. I TOTALLY TOOK YOU FOR A KINDA WEIRD, GLOOMY, OTAKU DUDE, BUT I OBVIOUSLY GOT IT WRONG...

YEAH, THESE... YOU'D DEFINITELY SEE UNDER A DRESS SHIRT, HUH...

WHOA...

WHAT THE HECK...? TATTOOS?

JIII

IT'S COOL...

EVERYTHING EXCEPT THE OTAKU BIT IS PRETTY SPOT-ON.

NO WORRIES.

EXACTLY.

HUH!? ARE THOSE REAL!?

YUP.

WAS GYM IN THE GYM ...?

KURU (TURN)

HIS HAIR'S OBNOXIOUS AND GETTING IN THE WAY, BUT...

...HE'S GOT A PRETTY DECENT FACE.

WE SHOULD GET GOING.

...HM, NOW THAT I'M GETTING A GOOD LOOK AT HIM...

WH—

WHAT ...?

GUSHA (MUSS)

GUSHA

?

IS HORI INTO THIS KIND OF FACE...?

SHH! SHH!!

GYAAAAH!

GEEZ, DUDE...! YOU GOT PIERCINGS TOO!!?

GASHI (GRAB)

EEP!

OHH...

IF YOU'RE JUST GONNA END UP HIDING IT, WHY GET INKED AND PIERCED IN THE FIRST PLACE?

YOU THINK ...?

I GOTTA SAY...

...YOU'RE A LAUGH.

PIII (FWEEET)

OKAY, WHO'S NEXT!?

HISSE!

YOU KNOW HOW SOMETIMES YOU JUST GET IT DONE ON A WHIM ...?

TERE (BASHFUL)

NO, I DON'T.

SAA (SWISH)

WELL...

...IF YOU'RE HIDING 'EM, I AIN'T GONNA RAT YOU OUT.

...STILL BUGS ME, BUT...

...WHY YOU AND HORI GOT CHUMMY ALL OF A SUDDEN...

WE'RE NOTHING MORE THAN FRIENDS.

...BE-LIEVE ME.

BUT I GET THE FEELING THAT SHE'S JUST BEING NICE TO ME.

IT'S ACTUALLY BEEN LIKE THIS FOR A LONG TIME...

...IT WASN'T SUDDEN.

SAA (FWSSH)

...IN THAT CASE, I'M...

KASHAN (CKRSSHD

...GONNA TELL HORI I LIKE HER, ALL RIGHT?

THAT'S UP TO HORI-SAN.

NOT ME.

.....

MM... NO REAL REASON.

WH-WHY ARE YOU CHECKING WITH ME ...?

DOKI (BADUMD)

ズン
ZUN (THOOMD)

YOU CUT CLASS, TOORU...

YOU WERE WITH TOORU?

THAT'S UNUSUAL.

OH... YEAH.

OKAY, OKAY!!

REPENT, YOOOU!

NEXT TIME, YOU'RE GONNA DO IT ALL!!

YOU HAD GYM DUTY TOO, BUT YOU MADE ME CLEAN UP EVERYTHING!!

POKA
POKA
POKA

I SAID I'M SORRY, OKAY!?

POKA (WHAP)

OW, OW, OW!

HISO (WHISPER)

I-I DIDN'T MEAN TO...

HISO

HISO

HEY...! WHY ARE YOU AVOIDING ME!?

LOOK AT ME WHEN YOU TALK TO ME!

TSUKA (STRIDE)

TSUKA

HISO

NO... SEE...

WE JUST TALKED A LITTLE.

SU (PASS)

GO (RUMBLE) ゴゴゴゴゴゴゴゴ GO

YIIIIKES, HE'S GLARING A HOLE IN ME!!

N——! N-N-NO... BUT...!

GO ゴ

GI (KRIK) ギギギギギギ!!

HISO (WHISPER) ヒソ

S-SERIOUSLY, WHAT!!? DID I DO SOMETHING WRONG!?

HISO ヒソ

OHHH...

I CAN'T, REALLY...

BEFORE WE GO HOME?

HISO ヒソ...

HORI-SAN.

I WANNA TALK TO YOU BEFORE WE GO HOME TODAY. GOT A MINUTE?

...HORI.

HUH?

BUT...

NIKO (SMILE) ニコ

IF IT'S BECAUSE OF SOUTA, DON'T WORRY. I'LL GO GET HIM.

SO HAVE YOUR CHAT WITH ISHIKAWA-KUN.

KAKIIIN (KACRACK)
カキーン
AH HA HA HA HA...
WHOOOA!
HEY! OVER THERE!
CHARI (CLINK)
チャリ
—...
OKAY...
ONII-CHAN!
—AN.

...YEAH.

KAKI (SCRIBBLE)

KAKI

I'M HUNGRY. I WANT TO EAT SOON.

WITH ALL THREE OF US TOGETHER!

WHAT TIME'S ONEE-CHAN COMING BACK—?

WHAT'S UP, SOUTA?

ACK!

I'M NOT SURE... SHE HAD TO TALK TO A FRIEND.

I REALLY...

...CAN'T TELL HIM...

BOSO (MUTTER)

...I'LL BE...

...A COMPLETE THIRD WHEEL.

TAKING CARE OF HORI-SAN'S LITTLE BROTHER LIKE THIS, HAVING DINNER TOGETHER EVERY WEEK...

IF ISHI-KAWA-KUN AND HORI-SAN START GOING OUT—

UH-HUH!
GOT IT!
I'LL MAKE DINNER IN A LITTLE BIT.
SORRY I'M LATE, SOUTA.
GACHA (KACHAK)
ガチャ
WEL-COME BACK.
AH!
THAT'S ONEE-CHAAAN—!
PIN-POOON (DING-DOOONG)
ピンポーン
SUKU (STAND)
すくっ
TA (TMP) TA TA TA
たたたっ
OH!
SO...
MIYA-MURA.
...WHAT HORI-SAN HEARD AT SCHOOL...
...BEFORE SHE CAME HOME.
I KNOW ...

PATAN (SHUT)

IF SHE SAYS TODAY'S IT AND "DON'T COME HERE ANYMORE"...

...THERE ISN'T ANYTHING I CAN DO ABOUT IT.

WE NEED TO TALK.

YOU ...!

DID YOU SERIOUSLY SAY THAT STUFF!? ABOUT US NOT MAKING A GOOD COUPLE OR WHATEVER ...!?

GYU (GRIT)

OH.

OKAY ...

TOORU TOLD ME.

UMM, WHAT'S... ON YOUR MIND?

.....

.....

HUH?

WHAT!? ER... ...HUNH!?

HORI-SAN!? WHY THAT!!?

A-AND HOW I'M JUST...BEING NICE TO YOU!

YOU ACTUALLY SAID THAT!?

WAIT... BUT WHAT ABOUT ISHIKAWA-KUN!?

FORGET ABOUT TOORU RIGHT NOW!!

WHAA—!?

DID YOU SAY IT, MIYAMURA ...!?

DID YOU SAY THAT!?

BIKU (FLINCH)

ビク

...I—

...DID.

NO!

I-IS THAT WHAT YOU THOUGHT!?

THIS WHOLE TIME ...?

YOU'VE BEEN COMING HERE ALL ALONG UNDER THAT IMPRESSION ...!?

IT'S LIKE ISHIKAWA-KUN SAID, I'M GLOOMY. AND I'M DULL.

NO...

I FIGURED MAYBE I WAS...

...OR MAKING A NUISANCE OF MYSELF OR SOME-THING.

...DRAGGING DOWN YOUR REPUTATION...

FURU

FURU (TREMBLE)

SO IT'S NOT REALLY LIKE I THOUGHT THAT OTHER STU...

JIWA (TEAR)

GEH!!!

OHHH MAN, WHAT DO I DO!? I WANNA CRY TOO...!!

AH WAH WAH WAH WAH!

HORI-SA—!?

GUSU (SNIFF) グス…

WHY ...?

.....!

HIC...

YOU DUMMY ...!

...YOU'D BETTER NOT SAY ANYTHING LIKE THAT EVER AGAIN...

WHY DO YOU CARE ABOUT MY REPUTA-TION!?

DON'T JUST ASSUME STUFF AND DECIDE TO LIVE WITH IT!!

I'M SORRY...

GUSU

——... SORRY...

...HORI-SAN.

YURA (SNAKE)

HUH? WAIT...

HORI-SAN...!?

ARRRGH!

JUST REMEMBERING IT MAKES ME MAD!!

GO (BONK)

GW!!

ER, HEY!

JIRI (INCH)

AND YOUR HELPINGS AT DINNER...

JIRI

WHAT THE ...?

...WHO'S GOING TO WAKE ME UP WHEN I FALL ASLEEP WATCHING MOVIES ...?

IF YOU STOP COMING...

TOORU? YEEEAH...

I TURNED HIM DOWN.

ZU (SNRF)

MOST GUYS LIKE HIM SEE GIRLS WITHOUT MAKEUP AND ARE ALL "YIKES!"

HIRI (STING)

HIRI

YOU DID —? BUT HE'S A GOOD GUY...

SUPAAAN (SMAAACK)

WE'LL HAVE TONS OF LEFT-OVERS, AND IT'LL BE ALL YOUR FAULT!!

GYAAAAH!

...AND A GUY, REMEM-BER?

I MEAN, ISHIKAWA-KUN'S POPULAR!

!?

THAT PART'S OKAY?

WHAAAAT!? ME AND ISHIKAWA-KUN WOULDN'T REALLY MAKE A GOOD COUPLE, WOULD WE?

WHAT'S WITH YOU? YUCK...! DO YOU LIKE TOORU? MAYBE YOU SHOULD DATE HIM INSTEAD.

HUH?

I-ISHIKAWA-KUN WOULD NEVER—!

AT LEAST I DON'T THINK HE WOULD...

ZAWA (MURMUR)

ZAWA

AH HA HA!

FOR REAL?

I HOPE HE'S OKAY...

AWWW... I BET ISHIKAWA-KUN'S HURTING PRETTY BAD.

OW!

GESHI (KICK)

I'M GOING BACK TO THE LIVING ROOM, SO OUTTA MY WAY!

YOU'RE TOTALLY CREEPIN' ME OUT, MIYAMURA!

FURA (TOTTER)

FURA

MORNIN'... MIYAMURA...

UM... SO, LIKE...

...YESTER-DAY, I...

BROKEN HEART

ZAWA

MORNIIING!

IN ANY EVENT, MIYAMURA MADE HIMSELF A NEW (BOY) FRIEND.

WHAT'S UP? ? ?

I KNOW! AND YOUR EYES ARE RED!!

AAAAAH!

YOU'RE SUCH A GREAT GUY...!

YOU DON'T HAVE TO SAY IT, ISHI-KAWA-KUUUN!!

HORIMIYA

GASA (RUSTLE)

SUNWA

YOU'RE A TOTAL LIFESAVER —!

SOUTA'S EATING A LOT LATELY, SO THE SHOPPING'S GOTTEN HEAVY...

GAYA (CHATTER)

AH HA HA!

GAYA

THAT'S A GROWING BOY FOR YOU—!

...NN?

POSTER: —IMPISH LIPS. NEW COLORS! / SIGN: NEW COLORS IN STOCK—SALE!! STAFF REC!

YEAH, FOR REAL. SHE'S ON TV A LOT.

HER FACE IS SOOO TINY!

THAT IDOL IS EVERY-WHERE LATELY.

新色入荷 セール!!

その唇、小悪魔系

店員のオススメ!

SIGN: EVERY THURSDAY...LIVE—

NO, NOT REALLY, BUT IT JUST WOULDN'T FEEL NATURAL, I GUESS? BUT I'M NOT GETTING THAT FEELING AT ALL RIGHT NOW.

WHY NOT JUST CUT IT?

SO YOU'D BE EMBARRASSED WHEN YOU WERE WITH HER 'COS YOUR HAIR'S LONGER?

I'M NOT THAT INTO GIRLS WITH SHORT HAIR THOUGH...

MAYBE 'COS MINE'S ON THE LONG SIDE?

HMMM...

BESIDES, YOU'RE THE ONLY ONE I WALK AROUND WITH.

SAY WHAT!?

MAYBE I'LL CUT MY HAIR, THEN.

HUH ...?

THAT'S HORI.

HAVEN'T SEEN HER OUT OF UNIFORM IN AAAGES...

HORI AND...

WHO IS THAT?

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...HUH?

I'M HOOOME—!

WELCOME BAAACK—!

GACHAN (KACHAK)

THAT MIYAMURA... HE COULD HAVE AT LEAST HAD DINNER FIRST...

HE DID HELP ME OUT AND ALL.

I HAVE TO GET HOME EARLY TODAY.

BYE!

MOM!?

BUT YOU'RE NEVER HOME ON HOLIDAYS!

YUP, IN THE FLESH! ♡

UH-HUH!

HE COMES OVER AND PLAYS WITH ME ALL THE TIME!

MOMI もみ

MOMI (KNEAD) もみ

MYYYY! NOW ISN'T THAT WONDERFUL!?

OHHH?

SOMEONE FROM KYOUKO'S CLASS?

SHE'S WAY TOO INTO THIS ...!!

OOOH! YOU LITTLE MINX, KYOUKO! WAY TO GO —!

WHAT'S HE LIKE?

IS HE HANDSOME?

HUH? YEAH...

SO IT'S A BOY?

I'D LOVE TO TALK TO HIM ONE-ON-ONE JUST ONCE!

THERE, ALL DONE!

AND WHAT EXACTLY ARE YOU PLANNING TO DISCUSS WITH HIM IN PRIVATE!?

ぽんっ PON (PAT)

AWW YEAH, I DID IT, ALL RIGHT!

DE GDLIND

DE

DE

DEEEN

HE'S KINDA... THIS DARK, SHADOWY FIGURE, LIKE THE CRIMINALS THAT SHOW UP IN DETECTIVE STORIES.

OHHH?

MISTER CRIMINAL, THEN?

ぴっ— POWAAAN (BLOOP)

...FROM A PACKET, I'M SURE...

YOU BET!! I'LL MAKE CURRY!!

OH!

THAT'S RIGHT. I FORGOT TO ASK.

HEY, YOU'RE MAKING DINNER TONIGHT, RIGHT, MOM?

THANK YOOOU!

AHHH, THAT FELT SOOOO GOOD!

GUTEEEN (LOLL)

HUH ...!?

WHAT'S HIS FIRST NAME ...!!?

HM?

WHAT'S HIS NAME, BY THE WAY?

MISTER CRIMINAL.

MIYAMURA-KUN?

HIS NAME'S MIYA-MURA ...

UH-HUH. MIYAMURA... MIYA.....

NOT GOOD ...

HRN...

KIIIN (DIIING)

KOOON (DOOONG)

NO, MOMMY, DON'T PUT IN CARROTS, EWWW!

WHAAA —!?

DON'T BE PICKY, YOUNG MAN!

AND THE ATTENDANCE ROSTER GOES WITH THE TEACHER EVERY TIME...

HRRRRN...

MIYAMURA'S BEEN COMING OVER FOR PRACTICALLY AGES NOW. HOW COULD I NOT KNOW HIS FIRST NAME...?

HORI'S STRESSING ABOUT SOMETHING...?

HEYYYY, MIYAMURA! YOU GOT A FIRST NAME OR WHAT?

CHIRA (GLANCE)

MAYBE IT'S BETTER TO JUST ASK HIM DIRECTLY .....?

GYM'S NEXT. LET'S HIT THE LOCKER ROOM QUICK!

SURE!

AH WAH WAH WAH WAH!

THAT'S THE LAST THING I SHOULD DO!!

NO WAY!!

ZAWA

TCH!

UGH! FOR REAL!?

UMMM...A MARATHON, I THINK...

MIYAMURA, WHAT'RE WE DOING IN GYM NEXT?

ZAWA (MURMUR)

WAAAAGH! HORI-SAN'S PEEPIIING!!!

ARE YOU SERIOUS!?

EEEEEK! EEEP!

BIKU (JUMP)

JIII (STAAARE)

TWENTY OF YOU, AND YOU'RE ALL USELESS...

WOULD ONE OF YOU CALL HIM BY HIS FIRST NAME ALREADY ...?

GYAAAAH!

SCIENCE LAB

...THEN...

IF THAT DIDN'T WORK...

EEH!?

YEAH...

ARE YOU LISTENING?

HORI... ARE YOU, UM, FRUS-TRATED?

PITA (FREEZE)

...I WAS WONDERING IF YOU COULD HELP ME WITH SOMETHING...

WELL, ACTUALLY ...

IF I ASK OUR HOMEROOM TEACHER, SHE SHOULD BE ABLE TO TELL ME.

THIS IS SUDDEN. WHAT DID YOU NEED...?

HOW UNUSUAL...

MIYAMURA-KUN!? THE GLOOMY KID, RIGHT!? IS HE CAUSING TROUBLE!? IS HE, HORI-SAN!?

THE BOY WHO CAN'T DO MATH, RIGHT!?

YES, THAT'S HIM!

NO, ER...! THIS IS REALLY HARD FOR ME TO SAY, BUT, YOU SEE... I...HIS—

HIS...

IT'S, UM... ABOUT MIYAMURA FROM CLASS...

NO, THAT ISN'T IT!

GYAAAH!

T-TELL ME IT ISN'T BULLYING!? IS IT!? IS IT BULLYING!?

GABA (JUMP)

WOULD YOU HEAR ME OUT?

NO, MA'AM, I AM NOT.

AGH!

THIS TEACHER'S HOPELESS.

SUU (SWF)

HIS BABY? ARE YOU PREGNANT WITH HIS CHILD ...!?

THAT'S A HUGE PROBLEM ...!

I NEVER THOUGHT FINDING OUT A SINGLE NAME COULD BE THIS EXHAUSTING...

YORO (TOTTER) ヨロ

HORI? HEADING HOME ALREADY?

TOORU ...! GREAT TIMING.

I WANTED TO ASK YOU SOMETHING ABOUT MIYAMU...

MY HEART IS CURRENTLY BROKEN!!!

DA (DASH) ダッ!!

REJECTED ← HIM

BWAH!

HEY ...!

USELESS!!

GOT REJECTED

DON (BUMP) ドンッ

SOMETHIN' ON YOUR MIND!?

!

IF ONLY HE WAS SMART ...!

IF...

HIGHE

	Class	Name
1	3	Sengo
2	4	Tachie
3	6	Kobay
4	1	Satou
5	2	Ishida
6	4	Kurog
7	1	Hori,
8	5	Yamad
9	6	Raisu,

HUH?

THE FULL NAMES OF EVERYONE IN CLASS?

YUKI...

HIYA!

U-UM, LISTEN, YUKI...THE TRUTH IS, I...

BY THE WAY...

JIII (STARE)

Y-YEAH, OF COURSE ...!

.....

SERI-OUSLY !?

WE'VE ALL BEEN TOGETHER FOR AGES!

YOU BET I GOT EVERYONE'S DETAILS!

YOU WERE WALKING AWAY, SO I DIDN'T SEE HIS FACE, BUT...

...WAS THAT YOUR BOY-FRIEND?

NO!

HUH ...?

BIKU (FLINCH)

...I SAW YOU WALKING WITH A GUY A LITTLE WHILE BACK, HORI.

NOW I'VE DONE IIIT!

OOOH? YOUR COUSIN, HUUH?

YEAH ...

YOU'RE ... SOOO LUCKYYY!

HE'S MY OLDER COUSIN!

BA (BLURT)

HE—

SHUBABA (KAPWING)

OH YEAH, THAT NOTEBOOK I BORROWED BEFORE...

GOSO (DIG) ゴソ GOSO ゴソ

I FORGOT TO GIVE IT BA...

SU (SLINK) スス SU SUUU

THIS TOPIC'S TOO RISKY ...

I'D BETTER GET OUT NOW.

HO-HORIII!?

YOUR NOOOOTES!

ズーン

ZUUUN (DOOOOM)

HAA (SIGH) はぁ…

YOU'VE JUST BEEN POKING IT WITH YOUR SPOON!

ARE YOU SAYING YOU CAN'T EAT THE CURRY I MADE FOR YOU?

HONESTLY!

WE'VE HAD THIS THREE DAYS IN A ROW.

WHAT AM I DOING …?

I CAN'T BELIEVE YUKI SPOTTED US… AND ON TOP OF THAT, I NEVER GOT TO ASK HER MIYAMURA'S NAME.

CHOI (PICK) ちょい ちょい

KYOUKO, DEAR!

IT'S NOT LIKE HE'S COMING TO SEE YOU, MOM.

キャやっ KYAH! KYAH!

WHAAAT!? REALLY!? WHAT DO I DO!? I'M SO EXCITED!

キャーー WHEEEE!

HUH? OHHH… DUNNO. MOST LIKELY?

HEY, SO SINCE TOMORROW'S A DAY OFF, WILL HE BE COMING OVER, YOUR "MIYAMURA-KUN"?

PIN (DING)

POOON (DOOONG)

GATAAAN (CLATTER)

SWEET!

HANG ON! WHY ARE YOU GETTING UP ALL OF A SUDDEN!?

KYAI (CHATTER)

KYAI

ONEE-CHAN, EAT THE CARROTS FOR MEEE!

OH!

YEAH! I'LL JUST HEAR IT THEN!

BUT MAYBE HE'LL TELL MOM HIS NAME.

SOUTA, EAT YOUR CARROTS TOO.

UUUGH...

PLEASE! COME IN. COME IN!

MY!

MY!

MYYY!

OHHH! ONII-CHAN!

POKAN (SURPRISED)

HELLOOO! I'VE BEEN WAITING FOR YOU!!

OH, AND THESE ARE FOR YOU... CAKES. MY FATHER MAKES THEM AT HOME.

I'VE NEVER MET HER BEFORE ...!

HORI'S MOM ...!

PARDON THE INTRUSION...

HO—

MYYY! A BAKERY!

SH-SHE DID?

SO YOUNG.

GACHA (KACHAK) ガチャ

FU FU!

SHE'S TOLD ME ALL SORTS OF THINGS ABOUT YOU!

OH, I'M SO SORRYYY! KYOUKO'S JUST GONE OUT SHOPPING...

GEEZ, HER MOM'S YOUNG!!

ISN'T HORI-SAN HERE TODAY ...?

DOKI ドキ

ドキ DOKI (BADUM)

YES.

IZUMI-KUN?

WHOA!

DON (WHUMP)

TAAACKLE!

MYYY! WHAT A CUTE NAME.

AH...I HAVEN'T INTRO-DUCED MYSELF.

PEKO (BOW)

I'M IZUMI MIYAMURA.

KURU (TURN)

ONII-CHAN, YOU'RE GOING HOME?

DON'T GOOO!

AW!

OH, DON'T SAY THAT!

...BUT I'M AFRAID I HAVE TO GO BACK TO WORK...

THERE'S A LOT I'D LIKE TO TALK ABOUT WITH YOU...

KOTON (TNK) コトン

OH NO, IT'S FINE. I WASN'T PLANNING TO STAY LONG EITHER...

JUST HANG OUT HERE UNTIL KYOUKO GETS BACK.

NIKO (SMILE)

THANK YOU SO MUCH...

...FOR EVERYTHING. REALLY.

...NOT AT ALL.

ZUI (INTENSE)

WHERE'S MOM!?

WELL?

YAY!

SO WHEN SHE SAID, "I'D LOVE TO TALK TO HIM ONE-ON-ONE JUST ONCE!," SHE ACTUALLY MEANT IT!

WAS THAT WHY SHE TOLD ME TO GO SHOPPING ...!?

THAT WOMAN ...!!

WHICH CAKE DO YOU WANT?

STRAWBERRY!

LIKE I SAID, SHE WENT BACK TO WORK...

MY FIRST NAME, I TOLD YOU...

NOT THAT!!

WHAT DID SHE SAY?

HUH ...?

!!!

BIKUN (FLINCH)

MADE ME BLUSH!

GOSH! NO ONE'S CALLED ME BY MY FIRST NAME SINCE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL!

HAVE I EVER HAD A SINGLE COHERENT CONVERSATION WITH THIS GUY...?

MAN, YOUR MOM'S SOOO YOUNG!

SHE USED "-KUN."

OHH, YOU MEAN HOW SHE ADDRESSED ME?

GATAN (CLATTER)

YOU'VE BEEN ACTING KINDA FUNNY LATELY, HORI-SAN.

GIKU (JOLT)

WH-WHAT DO YOU MEAN!?

AW, GEEZ ...!

.....

YUM!

YOU KNOW... PEEPING ON THE GUYS' LOCKER ROOM...

GLARING AT THE CLASS ROSTER...

THE FORMER WAS A MISUNDER-STANDING.

...OH. ARE YOU MAYBE...

TO BE HONEST ...

...INTER-ESTED IN SOME-BODY ...?

MUSU (POUT)

AH-HA-HA-HA-HA-HA!

AH-HA-HA-HA-HA-HA-HA!

WELL, I COULDN'T ASK HIM TO HIS FACE, COULD IIII!!?

ONEE-CHAN, YOU'RE LAAAME!

MY NAME THOUGH... MY NAME, HUH?

HEH... HEH HEH...

ZUUUN (GLOOM)

AH HA HA HA!

M-MY NAME!?

.....

THAT'S WHAT YOU WERE WORRIED ABOUT ALL THIS TIME!?

SFX: PURU (BRR) PURU

HERE YOU GO.

MUGYU (MOOSH)

NEE-CHAN, LAAAME! LAAAME!

SOUTA, YOU LITTLE BRAT ...!

HANG ON A SECOND.

I'M BORROWING YOUR PEN.

SARA (SCRIT) SARA

IZUMI...

...MIYA-MURA...

宮村

IZUMI MIYAMURA

伊澄

I MIGHT FORGET IT AGAIN...

KUSHA (CRUSH)

...WELL, GUESS I'LL HANG ON TO THIS JUST IN CASE...

I CAN READ IT!!

OH, SORRY. I FORGOT TO WRITE THE PRONUN-CIATION.

LET ME HAVE IT AGAIN.

I-I KNOW THAT!

IT'S EASIER TO REMEMBER IF YOU SAY IT OUT LOUD!

I'D RATHER YOU DIDN'T FORGET, IF POSSIBLE...

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SHUN (DROOP)

IZUMI.

I...

...HORI-SAN.

RIGHT HERE...

IZUMI... IT'S KIND OF A GIRLIE NAME...

HA (GASP) は、っ

HM?

"HORI-SAN" ...!?

YEAH, I'LL STICK WITH "MIYAMURA."

THAT FEELS WEIRD.

BEN (SMACK) ぺんっ

GWW!

HUH?

IT'S KYOUKO, RIGHT?

SARARI (EASILY)

MIYAMURA...! WAIT, DO YOU MAYBE...

...NOT KNOW MY NAME TOO!?

PURU

PURU (TREMBLE)

TRYING HARD NOT TO LAUGH

HORI-SAN'S SMART, BUT SOMETIMES SHE'S KINDA DUMB...

I CAN'T SAY THAT ALOUD...

GUSU (SNIFFLE)

I LOOK LIKE A TOTAL IDIOT ...!

SFX: KACHA (CLINK) KACHA

OHHH...

DAD'S KYOUSUKE, AND MOM'S YURIKO, SO "KYOUKO"...

JAAA (WSSSH)

KYOUKO AND SOUTA.

YOUR NAMES DON'T SOUND MUCH ALIKE, SO THEY STUCK IN MY HEAD.

BUT APPARENTLY THEY JUST NAMED SOUTA AT RANDOM.

HUH...

PEOPLE OFTEN TELL ME I TAKE AFTER MY MOM TOO.

BUT I CAN'T REALLY SEE IT MYSELF.

HUH!?

DO I?

YOU TAKE AFTER YOUR MOM, DON'T YOU, HORI-SAN?

WHEN I MET HER TODAY, IT OCCURRED TO ME.

.....

KACHA (CLINK) カチャ

KACHA カチャ

HE DOES HAVE A GIRLIE FACE, AFTER ALL.

HUH... SO MIYA-MURA LOOKS LIKE HIS MOM ...?

YOU'RE SKINNY. WE COULD USE MY STUFF.

HUH? WHAT'RE YOU TALKING ABOUT?

自主規制 SELF-CENSORED

IF WE PUT YOU IN GIRLS' CLOTHES, WOULD YOU TURN INTO YOUR MOM?

HUH...!? SERIOUSLY, WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT!?

PINPOOON (DING-DOOONG)

JIII (STAAARE)

ONEE-CHAN, SOMEONE'S AT THE DOOOOR!

TOKO (TMP)

IS IT A DELIVERY?

C'MON, I'M A LITTLE BUSY OVER HERE—!

I-I-I-I'LL GET IT FOR YOU!!

I'LL SIGN IT "HORI," DON'T WORRY...!

AH! HEY, MIYAMURA!!

PATA (PAD) パタ

PATA パタ

PINPOOON ピンポーン

COMIIIING! いまーす... PATATATA

I WAS HALF-JOKING...

GEEZ...

GACHA (KACHAK) ガチャ

HA (GASP) ハ

HORI...!?

YOU'RE MIYAMURA, Y'KNOW...

HE'S SIGNING "HORI" THOUGH, HUH...? I THINK SOMEONE'S STARTING TO FEEL AT HOME AROUND HERE.

KACHA カチャ

KACHA カチャ

THAT VOICE ...!

SORRY, HORIII!

I TOOK FOREVER TO GET YOUR NOTEBOOK BACK...

...TO YOU...

OH CRAP ...!

HORIMIYA

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BUSTED ...!!

DO

DO (BADUM)

OH CRAP ...!

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DO

GYU (SQUEEZE)

...ARE YOU...

ZURU (LURCH)

...HORI'S COUSIN?

M—

WHEN I ASKED HORI ABOUT IT...

PERA

...SHE SAID YOU WERE HER COUSIN—!

PERA

UH-HUH... HM?

HUH? UH...

BEWILDERED

!?

PERA

SEE, I SAW YOU WALKING WITH HORI THE OTHER DAY—

PERA (BLAB)

DEDEEEN (DADUUUM)

IT'S GONNA WORK!!

UM... SHE'S OUT... I'M SORRY... HA HA HA...

HUH? IS HORI NOT AROUND RIGHT NOW ...?

GU (CLENCH)

MAYBE SHE HASN'T CAUGHT ON...!!

U-UM!

OH, ENGLISH NOTES.

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WELL, I'LL MAKE SURE SHE GETS HER NOTEBOOK... THANK YOU.

SO I'M HER COUSIN, HUH...?

N-NO PROB!

PINPOOON
(DING-DOOONG)
ピンポーン
COMING!!
WOULD YOU MIND TELLING ME YOUR NAME?
YOUR NAME ...!
!
ZU (SLURP) ズ
YUKI AGAIN?
.....
HUH?
WHY? REALLY?
SHE'S COMING TO SEE YOU.
YEAH...SHE SAID SHE GOT SOME YUMMY SNACKS AND CAME TO SHARE. SHE'S HERE A LOT LATELY, ISN'T SHE?
GEEZ, HE'S DENSE ...!
YUKI'S ACTING WEIRD, BUT...
...
MIYAMURA HASN'T NOTICED A THING.

EVEN AT SCHOOL...

POWAWAN (DREAMY) ほわ

AND THEN —!

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HRMMM! ぷるるっ

ARGH, GEEZ, I CAN'T TAKE IT ...!

AWW...I WONDER IF HE'S GOT A GIRL-FRIEND OR SOME-THING —!

IT'S REALLY BUGGING ME...!

MONOTONE ←

KYAH! きゃっ

KYAH!! きゃっ

WHEN I SAID I HOPED WE'D MEET AGAIN...

...KONOHA-SAN SMIIIILED —!

HE WAS SOOO COOL!!

HE... HE DID, HUH?

HA HA HA...

BY THE WAY, THAT NAME...

AAAAGH!

KYAAAH!

KONOHA-SAAAN!

EVER SINCE THEN, SHE KEEPS FINDING EXCUSES TO VISIT...

...AND SHE'S AT MY HOUSE A LOT.

KASHA (CLANK) カシャ…

THE MAIN CHARACTER IN A MANGA I'M READING ...!

IT JUST SORTA SLIPPED OUT...!

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ZUGYAAAN (SHIIING)

SKULL NINJA KONOHA

ドクローニンジャ コノハ

週刊シノビで連載中!

ニンニン★★★

CATCH IT IN WEEKLY SHINOBI! NIN-NIN!

WHO THE HECK IS THIS "KONOHA" PERSON !?

SUPA (SWIFT)

I'LL LOAN IT TO YOU NEXT TI—

NO THANKS.

C'MON, YOU DIDN'T EVEN THINK ABOUT IT...!

AHCHGG!

HERE I GOETH!!

SHUBA (VWIP)

HIS LETHAL MOVE IS "INSTANT SKELETON-IZATION."

KONOHA'S SKILL

HE CAN CHANGE ENEMIES INTO BONES WITH ONE ATTACK!! THE CATCH IS THAT HE CAN'T ACTIVATE IT SEVERAL TIMES IN A ROW...! A DANGEROUS MOVE TO USE WHEN SURROUNDED!!

PEOPLE ARE EXPOSED TO THAT EVERY WEEK!?

SCARY!

A COLD? I BET IT'S 'COS YOU'RE STILL DRESSING SO LIGHT EVEN THOUGH IT'S STARTED TO GET CHILLY...

MAYBE YOU SHOULD HEAD HOME FOR TODAY?

ZUBI (SNURF)

NAH, I'M FINE...

KYOTO (STARE)

きょと

KIIIN (DIIING)

KOOON (DOOONG)

THAT USUALLY DOES THE TRICK...

ZUZU (SNIFFLE)

I'LL JUST TAKE SOME MEDICINE AND GET A GOOD NIGHT'S REST.

SO MEAN!

I KNOW MYSELF BETTER THAN ANYONE!

GAN (SHOCK)

I DON'T REALLY TRUST YOUR "I'M FINE," YOU KNOW...

ZAWA (MURMUR)

ZAWA

TOLD YA SO ...!

HAAA (SIGH)

MATH'S NEXT, RIGHT?

HORI.

GARA (SLIDE)

MORNING HOMEROOM'S IN SESSION—! MIYAMURA-KUN'S OUT WITH A COLD TODAY.

KATSU (CLACK)

KATSU

MIYA-MURA DOWN.

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...I GUESS YOU COULD SAY I DON'T TRUST THE GUY...

WELL... I TEXTED MIYAMURA BEFORE, AND HE SAID HE WAS "FINE," BUT...

TOORU... YOU TOO, HUH...?

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PAKA (POP)

MOM'S HOME TODAY, SO...

GOOD IDEA... SURE, I'LL GO.

I'M KINDA SURPRISED THOUGH. DIDN'T REALLY EXPECT THAT TO COME FROM YOU.

I'M GONNA CHECK ON MIYAMURA ON MY WAY HOME. WANNA COME?

YEAH ...

WHEW...

OH, BUT STILL...

...MIYA-MURA'S OUT, HMM —?

HUUUH!?

CAN'T. I GOT PRACTICE TODAY!

WANNA COME WITH, YOSHIKAWA? WE'RE CHECKING IN ON MIYAMURA.

OH.

OOOH, WHAT'S UP? WHAT'RE WE TALKING ABOUT?

YO! S'UP!?

PIKU (FLINCH)

WE'LL TELL HIM YOU WERE WORRIED, YUKI.

YEAH, YEAH.

'COS YOU AND HORI HAVE BEEN PAYING SO MUCH ATTENTION TO HIM LATELY!

'COURSE I'D START DOIN' THE SAME!

BEN (WHAP)

SO YOU'VE BEEN WATCHING MIYAMURA TOO, YOSHI-KAWA?

THAT'S NOT QUITE IT...

HE'S BUNDLED UP EVEN IN SUMMER, SO I BET COLD WEATHER'S ROUGH ON HIM...

WELL, IT'D BE WEIRD FOR TOO MANY OF US TO GO, ANYWAY...

FUU (SIGH)

フゥ…

MIYAMURA ...

I WONDER IF HE'S BEING GOOD AND SLEEPING...

FUWA (WOBBLE)

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FUWA

SUN (SNIFF)

スン…

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MIYAMURA

YOU WENT OUT OF YOUR WAY TO COME SEE BE AND EBERY-THING...

I'B SO SORRY...

AAARGH!

FOR THE LOVE OF...

KOFF!

BUT IF I SLEEP... BY DOSE STUFFS UP, AND I CAN'T BREADE...

KOFF!

HARA (TENSE) ハラ

HARA ハラ

JUST LIE DOWN!

SICK PEOPLE DON'T HAVE TO ENTERTAIN!

...BUT I HABE DOTHING TO OFFER YOU...

GUSHU (SNUFFLE)

KIRI (GLINT)

NO FEBER AT ALL !!

IIII HABE ~!

PI (BIP) PI PI PI ピピピピッ ピピピピッ PI PI PI PI

GOT A FEVER?

DO... I TOOK MEDICINE.

DID YOU GO TO THE HOSPITAL?

ZUBI (SNURF)

BY DOSE! BY DOSE'S CLOGGING UUUB—!! AAAAAH!

GUI (SHOVE)

GUI

102.5°F.

DUDE.

ZUBI

GEEZ... TOORU? GET HIM SOME OF THAT WATER, WOULD YOU?

.....

ON IT!

IF WE LEAVE, YOU'RE GONNA GET UP, AREN'T YOU?

I'LL BE FINE ON BY OWN...!

KOFF!

THEY WENT TO THE SHOP...

AAAAAGH... CLOGGED...

WHERE'S YOUR FAMILY?

GUSU (SNIFFLE)

HM? WHAT?

SOUTA...

ITO-Y!

POSO (MUTTER)

KUI (TUG)

IT'S FINE. MOM'S HOME TODAY.

KOSO (WHISPER)

AAH..

THAT, HUH ...?

HAA (SIGH)

GYU (SQUEEZE)

PATAN (SHUT)

YEP —!

GACHA (KACHAK)

...CCC

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I'LL MAKE YOU SOME RICE PORRIDGE, SO I'LL BE BORROWING YOUR KITCHEN.

TOORU, YOU'RE IN CHARGE HERE.

YOU'RE SICK. WORRY ABOUT YOURSELF.

MUU (IRK)

THAT'S RIGHT. GOOD BOY.

IF YOU GET UP, I'M NEVER SPEAKING TO YOU AGAIN.

KOFF!

...! I REALLY CAN'T. IT'S STUFFING UB...

KOFF!

MUKURI (RISE)

...BUT, MAN, HORI MAKING RICE POR-RIDGE, HUH ...?

I CAN'T REALLY SEE IT...

HORI COOKING AND STUFF...

HORI PUT ME ON GUARD DUTY.

ISHI-KAWA-KUN, THAT'S DO FAIR...

KOFF!

PURU (BRR)

PURU

HORI-SAN'S REALLY GOOD AT COOKING AND CLEANING...

...THAT'S NOT TRUE.

OH... BUT...

SUUU (ZZZ)

HUH? WHAT'RE YOU TALKING ABOU— MIYAMURA?

...SHE DOESN'T PUT CARROTS IN BEEF STEW...

INSTEAD, SHE CUTS THE POTATOES INTO BIGGER CHUNKS...

... AND ...

... THEN ...

SHUT UP!

DON'T WAKE HIM UP!!

GACHA (KACHAK) カチャッ

WAAAAAH! うわあああ

WHAT!? WHAT WERE YOU TRYING TO SAY!?

WAKE UP, MIYA-MURA-AAA!

I'VE BEEN WONDERING FOR A WHILE NOW...

HUH?

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WHEN MIYAMURA WAKES UP, WE'LL HAVE TO WARM IT UP FOR HIM...

THE PORRIDGE IS GETTING A LITTLE COLD...

I'M KINDA SCARED TO ASK, BUT... WHAT? ARE YOU FRIENDS ...?

WHAT DO YOU MEAN... "WHAT" ARE WE?

WHAT EXACTLY ARE YOU AND MIYAMURA?

MOYA (GLOOM)
もや…

IS THAT ALL?

REALLY …?

HUH… OH YEAH… HM!?

R… RIGHT…

IF WE WERE GOING OUT, I WOULDN'T HAVE COME TO VISIT HIM WITH YOU, WOULD I?

OF COURSE WE'RE FRIENDS!

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MOZO (SQUIRM)
もぞ…

BIKU (FLINCH)
ビク!!

PON (PAT)
ポン

EEP!

DOKI (BADUM)
ドキ

DOKI
ドキ

ZUBI (SNURF)
ズビ…

ISHIKAWA-KUUUN, GRAB BE SOME TISSUUUUES!

OH, HE'S AWAKE.

DON'T WORRY ABOUT TH.....

HA (GASP)

YOU TWO MIGHT CATCH THIS...

GUTA (SLUMP)

UUUGH...

WHY, YOU! WHAT'RE YOU TRYING TO BLOW YOUR NOSE ON!!?

STOPPPP!

GACHA (KACHAK)

EEEH...!? WHAT'LL I DO? ISHIKAWA-KUN, LEBBE BORROW YOUR SHIRT!

IF HE'S GOT THAT MUCH ENERGY, HE'LL BE FINE.

OH.

YEAH...

YOU'RE OUT OF TISSUES.

MIYAMURA, DO YOU WANT TO EAT SOME POR-RIDGE?

I'LL HAVE TO GO WARM IT UP.

...HORI MIGHT COME TAKE CARE OF ME...!!

I MADE YOU SOME PORRIDGE. FEEL UP TO EATING?

TOORUUU!

HOKO (STEAM)

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HOKO

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IF I CAUGHT A COLD THAT GOT OUT OF HAND...

TEIN (DING)

IT'S NOT 'COS WE WANNA BE.

PETTORI (STUCK)

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ONE PORRIDGE, COMING UP...

YIKES! YOU'RE CLOSE!!!

YOU'RE CREEPIN' ME OUT!

SUSU (SCOOT)

スス...

I WONDER IF WE HAVE MORE TISSUES STOCKED UP SOME... WHOA, CLOSE!

YEAH. DON'T WORRY ABOUT IT.

ISHI-KAWA-KUN, YOU'RE TOO CLOSE!

I CAN'T REALLY... TASTE IT...

モグ!!

MOGU (MUNCH)

YEP.

YOU'RE SWEATY, AREN'T YOU? DID YOU CHANGE? YOU HAVEN'T TAKEN A BATH, HAVE YOU?

TEKIBAKI

テキ

パキ

YEP.

OF COURSE NOT. YOUR THROAT'S SORE TOO, ISN'T IT?

WHEN YOU FINISH THAT, TAKE THIS MEDICINE.

YEP.

テキ TEKIBAKI (BRISK)

パキ

モ CHEW

モ

HRRRRRNN...

HA HA HA!

YEAH, SHE IS —!

Y'KNOW, HORI'S GOOD AT TAKING CARE OF PEOPLE...

I'LL TIE UP THIS CORD, OKAY?

OKAY.

KYU (TUG)

I'M GOING HOME FIRST... MIYAMURA, BE GOOD AND SLEEP.

AND DON'T YOU STAY TOO LONG, TOORU.

YEP. THANK YOU, HORI-SAN.

LATER —!

PATAN (SHUT)

...DID YOU STAY JUST TO TAKE CARE OF ME, ISHIKAWA-KUN...!?

FRIENDS ARE A WONDERFUL THING...!!

PAAAA (BEEEAM)

OHHH, UH, NO... I SORTA JUST...

MIYA-MURA... IS THERE ANYONE YOU LIKE?

..... HUH?

IS HE GONNA CONFESS ...!?

DUDE, IF YOU JUST THOUGHT, "IS HE GONNA CONFESS?" FOR EVEN A SECOND, I WILL PUNCH YOU.

...I DON'T REALLY HAVE ANYBODY LIKE THAT.

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POSU (FWUMP)

YOU STILL LIKE HORI-SAN, ISHIKAWA-KUN?

WELL, EXCUSE ME!

IT'S JUST THAT YOU KINDA TALK ABOUT THAT STUFF A LOT, ISHIKAWA-KUN.

LIKE A GIRL.

WELL, ABOUT HORI. IF YOU ASK ME...

...I'D SAY YOU'RE ON HER MIND. DON'T YOU THINK?

...CALL ME STUBBORN, BUT YEAH.

"STILL"

グサァ
GUSAA (STAB)

NATURALLY TACTLESS

HMMM.

YOU'RE SAYING ALL THAT ABOUT YOUR-SELF?

I MEAN, WHAT WOULD SHE WANT WITH MISERABLE FOUR-EYES LIKE ME?

NOOOO WAY —!

JUST GIVE IT UP ALREADY AND LET IT ALL HANG OUT!!

THE TATTOOS AND STUFF, I MEAN.

GABA (SHUP)

F-F-F-FOR REAL!?

I DON'T WANNA STICK OUT!!

I THINK IT'S PROLLY 'COS YOU TALK TO US THOUGH.

BUT EVEN IN CLASS, EVERYONE'S SAYING THAT YOU'RE MORE CHIPPER LATELY.

PIKU (FLINCH)

OKAY, OKAY...

DON'T PUSH YOURSELF...

WHAT A WEIRDO...

KOFF!

WACHOO!!

N-NO...! I WANT TO STAY BORIN—

KOFF!

...OH.

NOT AT ALL! JUST HAVING YOU STOP BY MADE ME FEEL BETTER.

THANKS!

AND I EVEN GOT CAKE...

OKAY, I'M GOING HOME TOO... SORRY FOR GETTING YOU ALL WORKED UP AND THEN MAKING A RUN FOR IT.

AND THEN HURRY UP AND COME BACK TO SCHOOL, MIYAMURA.

I'VE BARELY EVEN TALKED TO HER AT SCHOOL...

YOUR NOSE MIGHT CLOG UP, BUT MAKE SURE YOU SLEEP.

ALMOST FORGOT. YOSHIKAWA SAID SHE'S WORRIED ABOUT YOU TOO.

HUH!?

PATAN (SHUT)

...YEAH.

IS HE GONNA BE OKAY...?

OH... COME TO THINK OF IT, DOES HE HAVE TISSUES?

宮村用
FOR MIYAMURA

I THOUGHT THE SAYING GOES THAT IDIOTS DON'T CATCH COLDS.

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EXAMPLE SENTENCES

MATH
数学

...HM?

PATA (CLACK)

I SWEAR ... CATCHING A COLD RIGHT AFTER I TOLD HIM TO BE CAREFUL... HE REALLY IS DUMB.

KATAN (TNK)

YUKIII! CAN I EAT THIIIS?

HOKO ほこ

ほこ HOKO (TOASTY)

WHEW...

10/01 MON 21:12
0001
From Hori
Date 10/01
Sub (no subject)

Thanks for checking. Looks like Miyamura has a fever, but he should be fine. Tooru stayed with him too.

Don't know if he'll be back tomorrow...But I bet he shows up at school soon, looking as if nothing ever happened.

Reply Options Menu

I'M NOT STINGY!

EEEEH!? STINGY!

ONEE-CHAN! DON'T YOU DARE EAT MY PUDDING!!

PATA (PAD)

PATA

IZUMIIII?

DID SOMEONE COME BY TODAY?

GACHA (KACHAK)

NOW THERE'S A WORD I THOUGHT I'D NEVER HEAR YOU SAY.

PATA

PATA

OHHH... FRIENDS ...

FRIENDS?

HUUUH —?

THERE WAS CAKE IN THE FRIDGE, AND NOW IT'S GONE!

YOU HAVEN'T HAD A FRIEND OVER SINCE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL.

MOZO (NESTLE)

YEAH...

GUESS SO.

HORIMIYA

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HORIMIYA

UWAAAH!!

AUTUMN, THE SEASON WHEN THE LEAVES TURN...

...AND THE SECOND-YEARS OF KATAGIRI HIGH GO ON THEIR SCHOOL TRIP.

YUKI SURE IS WIRED.

YEAH.

KYOTO!!

AUTUMN LEAVES! TEMPLES-SSSSS!!

YUKI'S NEVER BEEN TO KYOTO BEFORE. THAT'S WHY SHE'S HYPER.

IS HE HER GUARDIAN ...?

YOU'RE NOT THE BOSS OF ME, TOORU!

?

OW!

OH, I SEE... IS THIS YOUR FIRST TIME TOO, HORI-SAN?

YOSHI-KAWA. CHILL.

LOOK AT ALL THE TREES!!

MOGA (MUFFLE) もが

POFUN (POOMF) ぽふん

SOWA (FIDGET) そわ

SOWA そわ

KYORO (GLANCE) キョロ

KYORO キョロ

.....
...AH, THE HOTEL.

HAA (SIGH)

ALTHOUGH TODAY'S DAY ONE, AND WE'RE GOING RIGHT TO THE HOTEL AFTER THIS!

WE GET MORE FREE TIME IN OUR GROUPS THAN WE DID IN MIDDLE SCHOOL, SO THAT'LL BE FUN.

AH HA HA.

IT IS THE STANDARD.

IT WAS THE SAME FOR ME.

SECOND... MY MIDDLE SCHOOL TRIP WAS TO KYOTO TOO.

THE GUYS ARE USING THE BIG COMMON BATH, RIGHT ...?

THE GIRLS' ROOMS HAVE ATTACHED BATHS...

NO, I'M NOT... I'M FULLY PREPARED NOT TO BATHE ON THIS TRIP.

OH YEAH, MIYAMURA... YOU GONNA BE OKAY WITH BATHS AND STUFF?

WILL THIS TRIP REALLY BE ANY FUN ...?

FOR THIS GUY.

OH! THERE YOU ARE —!

WILL THIS TRIP REALLY BE ANY FUN ...?

FOR ME...

I'LL CHANGE IN THE BATHROOM.

I SEE... WELL, GOOD LUCK.

WHAT ABOUT CHANG-ING?

SOU-VENIRS FROM DAY ONE!?

AND LOOK! THERE'S A SOUVENIR STORE UP THERE, SO I BOUGHT THESE!

TE (TROT) TE TEEE

PURAAAN (DANGLE)

HEEEEEY! ISHIKAWA, YOU GUYS ARE SLOOOW! THE OTHER GROUPS'RE ALREADY WAY UP AHEAD!

WEREN'T YOU BOUNCING OFF THE WALLS, LIKE, FIVE SECONDS AGO?

BOSO (MUTTER)

...SOU-VENIRS ON THE FIRST DAY? THE KID'S NUTS...

GOOD POINT! WANNA EAT 'EM NOW, THEN? OH, YOU HAVE SOME TOO, MIYAMURA!

AH HA HA HA HA!

SHUU... WHY ARE YOU GETTING MORE STUFF TO CARRY BEFORE WE'VE EVEN MADE IT TO THE HOTEL!?

YEAH... BUT ISHI-KAWA-KUN'S WITH US TOO, SO .....

GERA (CACKLE)

GERA GERA

HEY, YOU'RE... ROOMING WITH IURA, AREN'T YOU?

THAT GUY'S ALWAYS— WIRED...

HUH!? OH... AH-HA-HA-HA —!

GROWING UNEASE

THIS IS SO NOT GOING TO BE OKAY.

SOMEBODY ELSE'S → PROBLEM

DON'T START EATING THEM HERE!

GYAH HA HA HAAA!

IS THIS GONNA BE OKAY ...?

MOFUUU (FLUFFY)

HAAAH —!

THE BED'S SOOOO SOFT!

ALL RIGHT, GROUPS! COME PICK UP YOUR ROOM KEYYYYS!

GAYA (CHATTER)

GAYA

YOU SAID IT! WANNA GO VISIT ANOTHER ROOM?

BUT HAVING FREE TIME UNTIL DINNER'S PRETTY WORTHLESS. THERE'S NOTHING TO DO!

I WAS SURPRISED. THE ROOM'S EVEN BETTER THAN I EXPECTED ...

MUKURI (SHUP)

OOOH! LIKE A GUY'S ROOM?

YOU FIEND ~!

AH HA HA HA!

MEAN-WHILE ...

.....

.....

HEY, D'YOU KNOW WHERE SHUU GOT TO? HE HAS OUR KEY.

IURA?

ISHIKAWA, WHAT ARE YOU GUYS DOING, WAITING BY THE DOOR ...?

WHO GOT THE KEY AGAIN?

SHUU. IT WAS SHUU... WHERE'D HE GO?

WHAT DO YOU MEAN WE CAN'T GET INTO OUR ROOM ...?

ISHIKAWA-KUN, CALM DOWN!

SUKAAA (ZZZ)

SHUU, YOU IDIIIOT —! OPEN UPP!!

!!?

PISHI (SNAP)

IURA WALKED RIGHT INTO THE ROOM A MINUTE AGO.

HE SHOULD STILL BE INSIDE?

I SAID I WAS SORRYYY!

ふぁあ〜
FUAA (YAWN)

PORI (SKRITCH) ぽり PORI ぽり

OKAY, OKAYYY! GEEEEZ!

...HM, NOT A BAD IDEA. WE STILL GOT TIME TILL THEN?

OH. HANG ON.

WE GOT TO PUT OUR STUFF DOWN ANYWAY.

LET'S JUST TAKE IT EASY UNTIL DINNER!

THERE, THERE. EASY.

KUWA (ROAR)

AT LEAST LET US IN BEFORE YOU FALL ASLEEP, YOU MORON!

UURGHH...

Day 1

18:00~

Common bath *Boys only
·18:00~ Class 1, Groups 1~
·18:30~ Class 1, Group 5~
Bathe in order, 30 min. pe
However, groups from C
will go in after dinner, s

Those who did not bath
should take their baths
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CLASS 1, GROUP 1

NNN...

ARE YOU AWAKE NOW?

パラ PARA (FLIP)...

LET ME CHECK REAL QUICK...

Schedule

Day 1

18:00~

Common bath *Boys only
·18:00~ Class 1, Groups 1-
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Bathe in order, 30 min. p
However, groups from C
will go in after dinner, s

Those who did not bathe
should take their baths a
For more detailed times,

19:00~

Dinner

To be eaten in the rooms designated fo
Be sure to be on time.

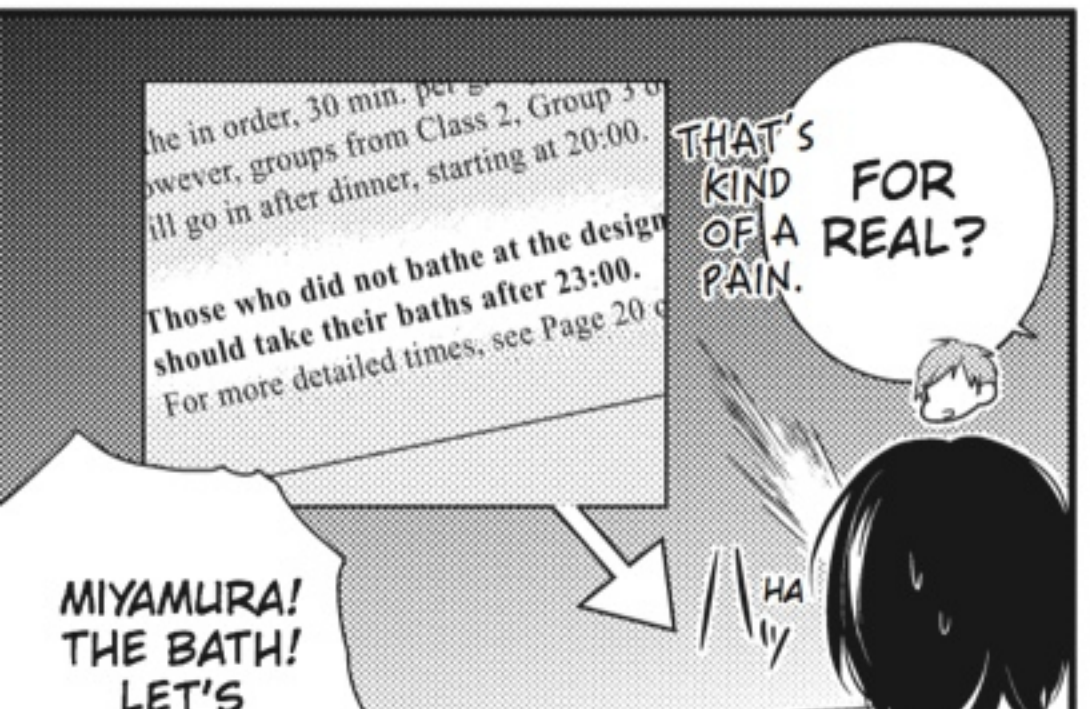
·Classes 1–3 – Sakura Room, Hotel
·Classes 4–6 – Plum Room, Hotel

Each group leader must confirm
group members are present.

*After dinner, all group leade
Sakura Room to report thei

20:00~

Free time.
Boys bathe in the co


Those who did not bathe at the design
should take their baths after 23:00.
For more detailed times, see Page 20
THAT'S KIND OF A PAIN.
FOR REAL?
MIYAMURA! THE BATH! LET'S HIT THE BATH!!
HA

HUH? WEREN'T WE S'POSED TO TAKE OUR BATHS BEFORE DINNER?
CRAP...
RIGHT OFF THE BAT...
HA (GASP)
はっ
PACHI (BING)
ぱちっ
KYU (CLENCH)
きゅっ
SCHOOL TRIP
修学

AAAGH...
WE'RE HURRYING SO YOU DON'T HAVE TO MISS OUT, DUH!
UM... I THINK I'M GONNA HAVE TO MISS OUT ON OUR TIME SLOT ...!
ZURU (DRAG)
ズル
ズル ZURU
ズル ZURU

HEY!
GROUP ONE, MOVE IT ALONG! THERE'S A LINE!
I'LL G-GO IN LATER ...!
GU (TUG)
GU
GU
GU
プル PURU
プル PURU (SHAKE)

GUI (YANK)
男湯 MEN'S BATH
N-NOOO !!
WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT!? HURRY UP!

MY IDYLLIC SCHOOL LIFE'S ON THE LINE HERE!

WHOOOA! THIS GUY'S INKED!

...ENDING

BURU (TREMBLE)

THE WORST POSSIBLE...

IF THIS KEEPS UP, THEY'LL SEE MY TATTOOS!

IT'LL BE FRONT-PAGE NEWS ...!!

BURU

KOKU (NOD)

KOKU

..... MIYAMURA, YOU'RE NOT FEELING SO GOOD, RIGHT!?

HUH!?

CHIRA (GLANCE)

S-SAVE ME, ISHIKAWA-KUN...!

GOING FOR BROKE

SHUU.

MIYAMURA'S ON HIS PERIOD...

NO... N-NOT A COLD EXACTLY ...

A COLD?

YOU DON'T FEEL GOOD...? DO YOU HAVE A FEVER?

HUH?

F...
F...

FOR REAL?

SHIIIN (SILENCE)

...

PASA (FLOP)

SHUT UUUP!!! WE'RE DEALING WITH A SHOCKING REVELATION HERE!!

HEY, GROUP ONE, GROUP TWO! WHAT'RE YOU DOING!? GO IN ALREADY!

.....

GOING FOR BROKE

.....

YEAH.

GOOD JOB... AND GOOD-BYE...

PURU (SHAKE) PURU

MIYAMURA, I DID A GOOD JOB, RIGHT?

THE GUY'S NOT FEELING WELL, SO STOP GETTIN' ON OUR CASE!

GYAAA (BICKER)

GYAAA HUNH!?

THIS FROM THE GUY WHO GOT A PERFECT SCORE ON HIS HEALTH AND PHYS ED EXAM!?

HORI-SAN... APPARENTLY, I'M ON MY PERIOD...

MY LIFE IS OVER...

HEY!

HUH—? MIYAMURA!

WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT!? YOU DON'T HAVE A UTERUS.

I THINK MY STOMACH'S EVEN STARTING TO HURT...

WHAT, YOU DO!!?

YOU'RE A WALKING ANATOMICAL MYSTERY!

DESPERATE→

ガーン GAN (SHOCK)

..... DO TOO.

HEY, WANNA USE THE SHOWER IN OUR ROOM?

YUKI WENT TO A FRIEND'S ROOM, AND SHE'S NOT BACK YET.

I MIGHT TRY TO GO DURING THE LATE BATHERS' TIME...

THAT'S HILARIOUS!

WHAT'RE YOU GOING TO DO FOR TODAY?

DON'T TELL ME THAT WAS THE EXCUSE YOU USED TO GET OUT OF BATHING ...?

TOBO (TRUDGE)

TOBO

OH.

IF YOU DON'T WANT TO, THAT'S FINE...

GYO (SHOCK)

HUH? WHAT? B-BUT THAT WOULDN'T BE OKAY, WOULD IT?

SHOW-ERING IN A—

A GIRL'S ROOM ...

PATAN (SHUT)

YOU'RE A LIFE-SAVER...

HOKO ほこ

HOKO (STEAM) ほこ

カチャ... KACHA (KACHAK)

STILL NOT BACK!

WHERE'S YOSHI-KAWA-SAN?

NO... I REALLY COULDN'T AFFORD TO TAKE MY TIME...

TALK ABOUT FAAAST!

YOU COULD'VE TAKEN YOUR TIME. YOU'RE NOT A CROW, Y'KNOW.

HERE, A TOWEL.

I'D BETTER ORGANIZE THE STUFF I'LL NEED TOMORROW WHILE I HAVE THE CHANCE!

...HORI-SAN.

OH...

IF A GUY NEEDED HELP...

...WOULD YOU LET HIM INTO YOUR ROOM LIKE THIS, NO MATTER WHO IT WAS?

THAT'S NOT A GOOD IDEA, YOU KNOW!

I'D DO NOTHING OF THE SORT ...!

REALLY?

REALLY!

EVEN THOUGH YOU LET ME IN?

WHAT?

LIKE, YOU WOULD NEVER, SO... YOU'RE FINE... KINDA THING...

YOU'RE... SORTA... YOU KNOW.

...WOULD NEVER WHAT?

...D-DO ANYTHING, RIGHT?

—Y...!

I MEAN, YOU WOULDN'T...

DOKI (BADUMP)

WHY NOT?

~~~~~!!

HUH ...? WAIT ...!

GACHA (KACHAK)

WHY "WHY NOT"!? WHY NOT? WHY NOT?

GURU (SPIN)

GURU

GURU

YOU WOULD NEVER, SO... YOU'RE FINE.
↓
"...WOULD NEVER WHAT?"
↓
YOU WOULDN'T DO ANYTHING TO ME, RIGHT?
↓
"WHY NOT?"

...'KAY, WELL!

I'LL HEAD BACK TO MY ROOM.

THANKS FOR LETTING ME USE YOUR SHOWER.
~~~~~

...SO IF I SAID IT WAS OKAY TO DO SOMETHING ...

...YOU WOULD?

PATAN (SHUT)

...

WHY ...?

WHY WOULDN'T I LET ANYONE EXCEPT MIYAMURA INTO MY ROOM...?

OH!

I TOOK THEIR TOWEL BY MISTAKE.

YOOO, MIYAMURA! WANNA WEAR A YUKATA TOO!?

WELCOME BACK.

HEYYY! MIYAMURA, DID YOU GO SOME-WHERE?

OHHH. YEAH.

...JUST OUT.

OOOH, I STILL HAVE ROOM ON HERE!

I TOOK A TON OF PHOTOS THOUGH.

PI (BIP)

PI

GAYA

SURE WAS! NOW THAT I GOT MY SOUVENIRS... I'M SORRY TO SAY IT'S GOOD-BYE KYOTO.

GAYA (CHATTER)

THAT WAS ONE FAST SCHOOL TRIP.

HEYYY! DON'T!

PASHA (CLICK)

SAY CHEESE, HORIII!!

THAT WAS FUNNY.

OH, THIS ONE!

IT'S A PIC OF IURA MESSING WITH TOORU.

TOORU'S NOT SO GOOD WITH HEIGHTS.

PI

THANKS! BETWEEN THESE AND THE TEACHER'S PHOTOS, I'LL HAVE A WHOLE BUNCH...

I'LL PRINT OUT COPIES FOR YOU, HORI!

SANJUU-SANGEN-DOU, RYOUAN-JI...WE WENT ALL SORTS OF PLACES!

PI

PI

.....

THIS IS YOU SNACKING ON THE GO.

PI (BIP)

HEE HEE!

I HOPE WE ALL GET TO COME HERE TOGETHER AGAIN.

YEAH.

THAT WAS A FUN TRIP, WASN'T IT?

...MIYA-MURA.

AWWW, GEEZ, TIME TO GO HOME ALREADY?

IT WAS OVER BEFORE I KNEW IT!

HEYYY! WE'RE ALL S'POSED TO MEET UP ON THE BUS NOW!

'KAYYY—!

...YEAH, IT WAS.

HORI! WOULD YOU GUYS HURRY IT UUUP!?

OKAY, OKAY! COMING!

HORIMIYA 1 END

To Be Continued...

Translation Notes

Page 7 – ***Moe***
Moe is a geeky, fetish-like obsession with something cute, usually a certain category of girl (maids, little sisters) or piece of clothing (glasses, school uniforms). Also used as an interjection when something triggers the obsession.

Page 99 – **Attendance roster**
In Japanese schools, instead of students going to different classrooms for different subjects, the teacher generally comes to the students.

Page 166 – **Sanjuusangen-dou and Ryouan-ji**
Two famous temples in Kyoto. Sanjuusangen-dou is famous for having one thousand life-sized statues of the thousand-armed Kannon, and Ryouan-ji is known for its Zen garden.

BONUS MANGA • MYAMURA

MAYBE "WEIRD" ISN'T THE RIGHT WORD...

IN THE DREAMS ...

I'VE BEEN HAVING WEIRD DREAMS LATELY.

.....

CHOKON (TINY)

JIII (STAAARE)

...RIGHT IN FRONT OF ME, THERE'S THIS CAT.

HAD IT BEEN JUST THE ONE, I WOULD'VE WRITTEN IT OFF AS A WEIRD DREAM, PERIOD.

AND THAT'S ALL I THOUGHT IT WAS... AT FIRST.

TOORUUUU, YOU LOOK KINDA PALE!

YEAH... I HAD THIS CRAZY DREAM, SEE...

HANG ON! I'M OPENING IT FOR YOU!

PYOKO (HOP)

BAN (WHAP)

BAN

BAN

HUH? WHAT? YOU'RE HUNGRY?

NO WAYYY!!! REALLY?!

AH-HA-HA-HA-HA! YOU'RE JOKING!

.....

.....

BUT.

MO (NOM)

MO

FUYO (FLICK)

FUYO

BIKU (FLINCH)

HE CAN TELL HE'S DREAMING NOW.

AM I LOSING MY MIND ...?

AAAGH... CRAP... HERE WE GO AGAIN...

THEY SAY DREAMS ARE AN EX-PRESSION OF UNCONSCIOUS DESIRES, Y'KNOW!

TOORU. HEY, TOORU! YOU SAID YOU WERE HAVING WEIRD DREAMS, RIGHT?

LET HER SHOW UP AS SOME-THING CUTE.

G'NIGHT!

IF I'M GONNA DREAM, GIMME HORI!

PLEASE NOT THAT!!!

CAT + MIYAMURA + LITTLE

DESIRE

MEOW!

BURU (SHUDDER)

BURU

BURU

TOORU!? YOU OKAY!!?

I'M BEGGING YOU...!

...ORU...

PACHI (BLINK)

TOORU —!

!!

HA (GASP)

YESSS!! IT'S HORI!

KURU (TURN)

H-HEY!!

HORI...

HYOKO (POP)

EVEN IN HIS DREAMS, ISHIKAWA HAS IT ROUGH.

HUH?

WHAT!? FOR WHAT!?

BURU

BURU

BURU

MIYA-MURA..... ARE YOU THE DEFAULT ...?

AFTERWORD

THANKS SO MUCH FOR PICKING UP *HORIMIYA*, VOLUME 1!

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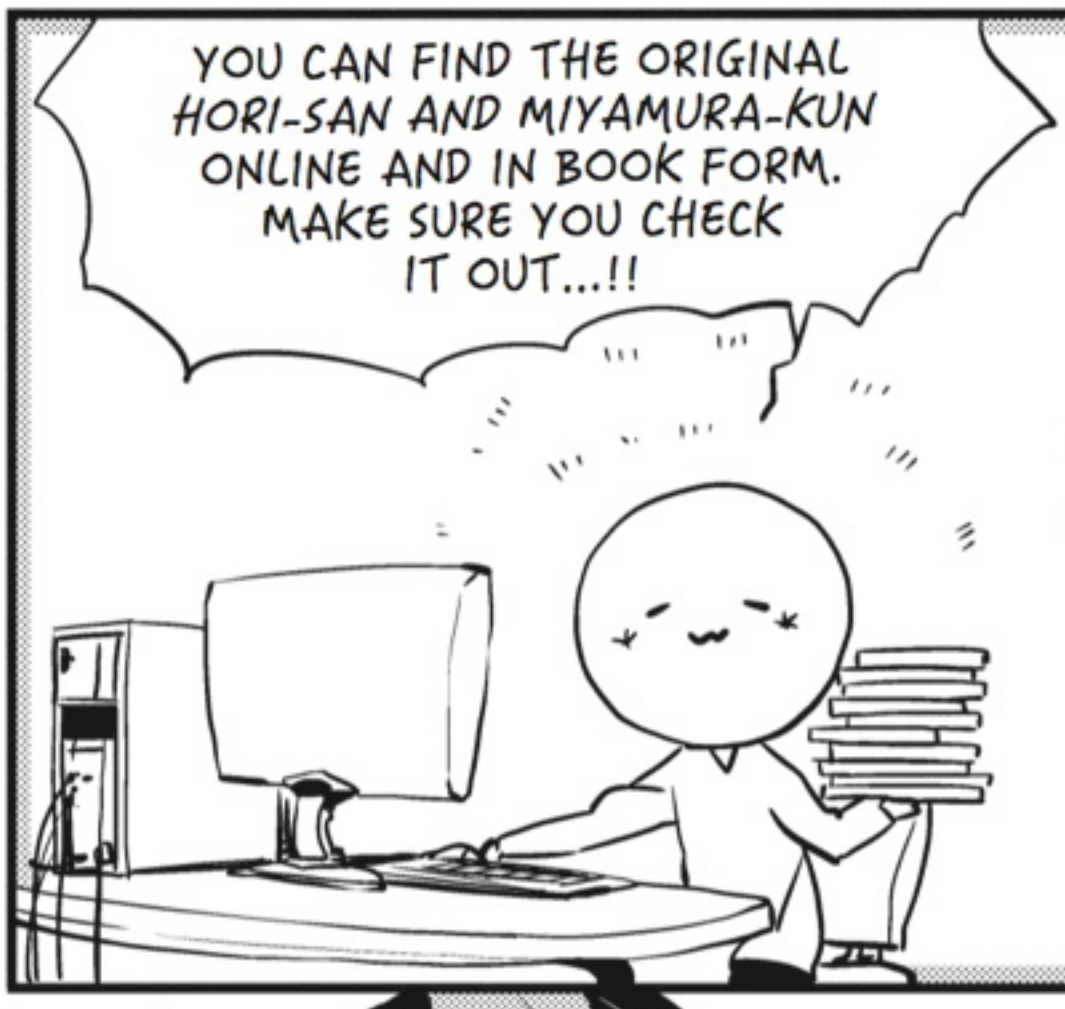

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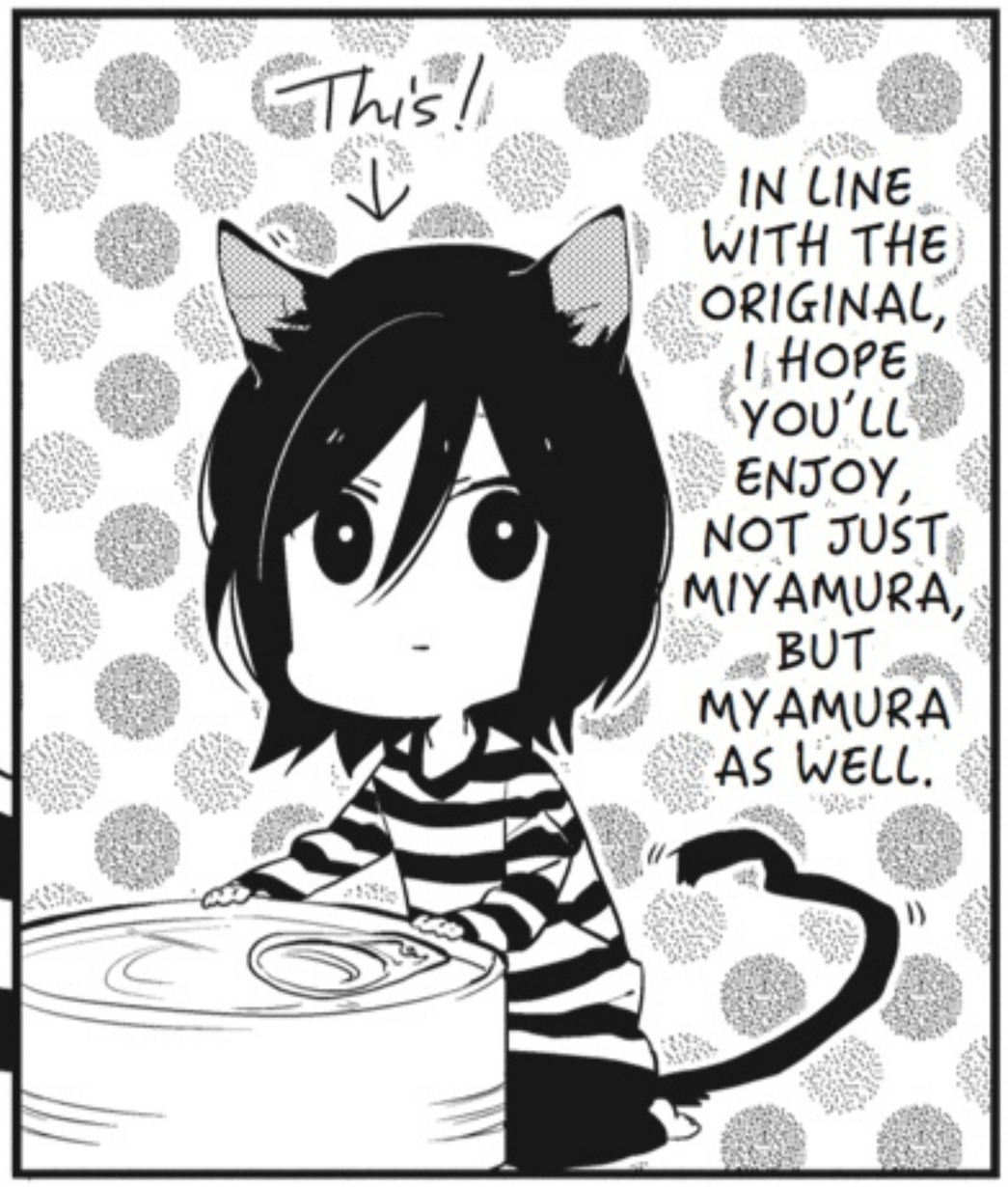

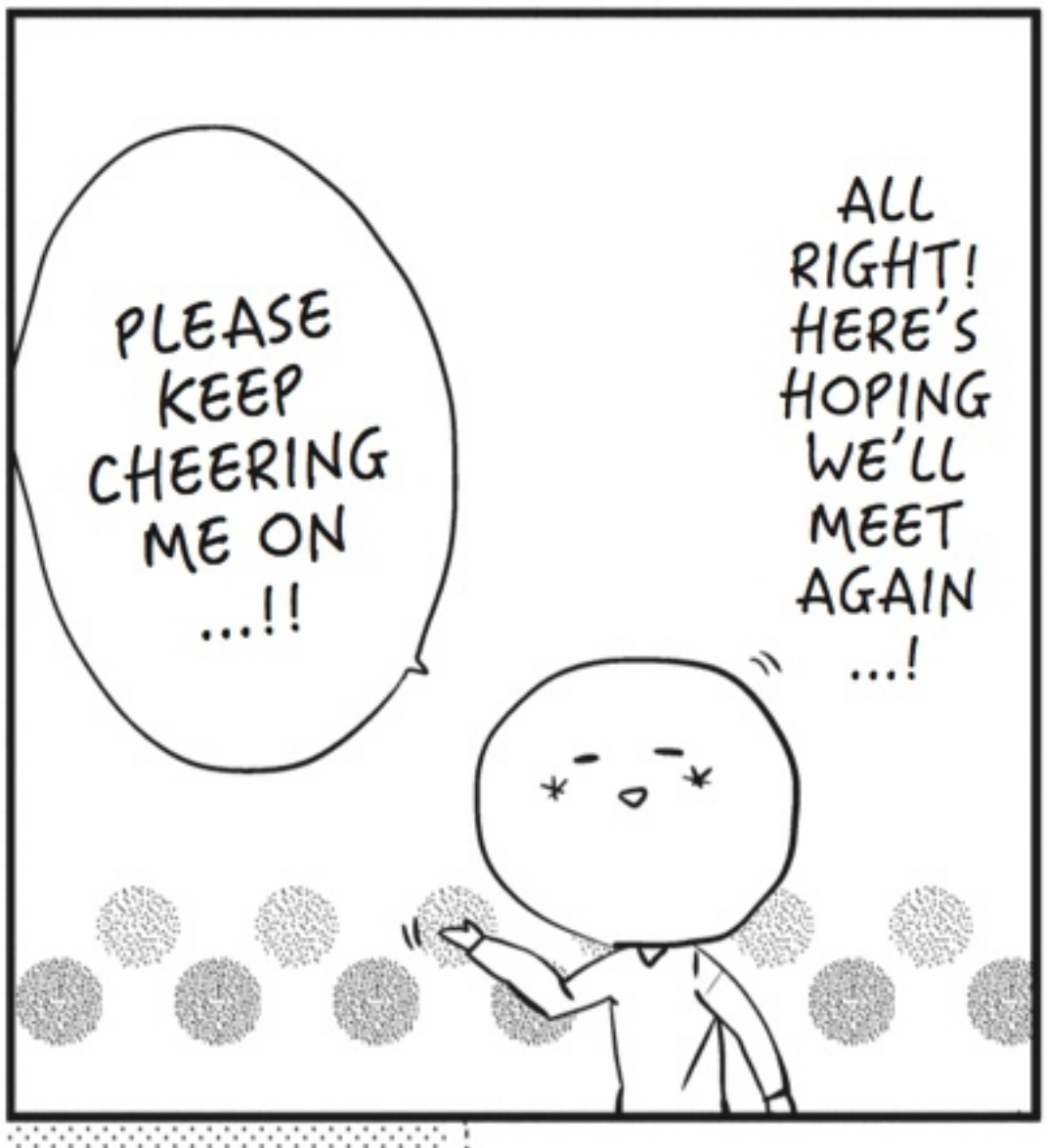

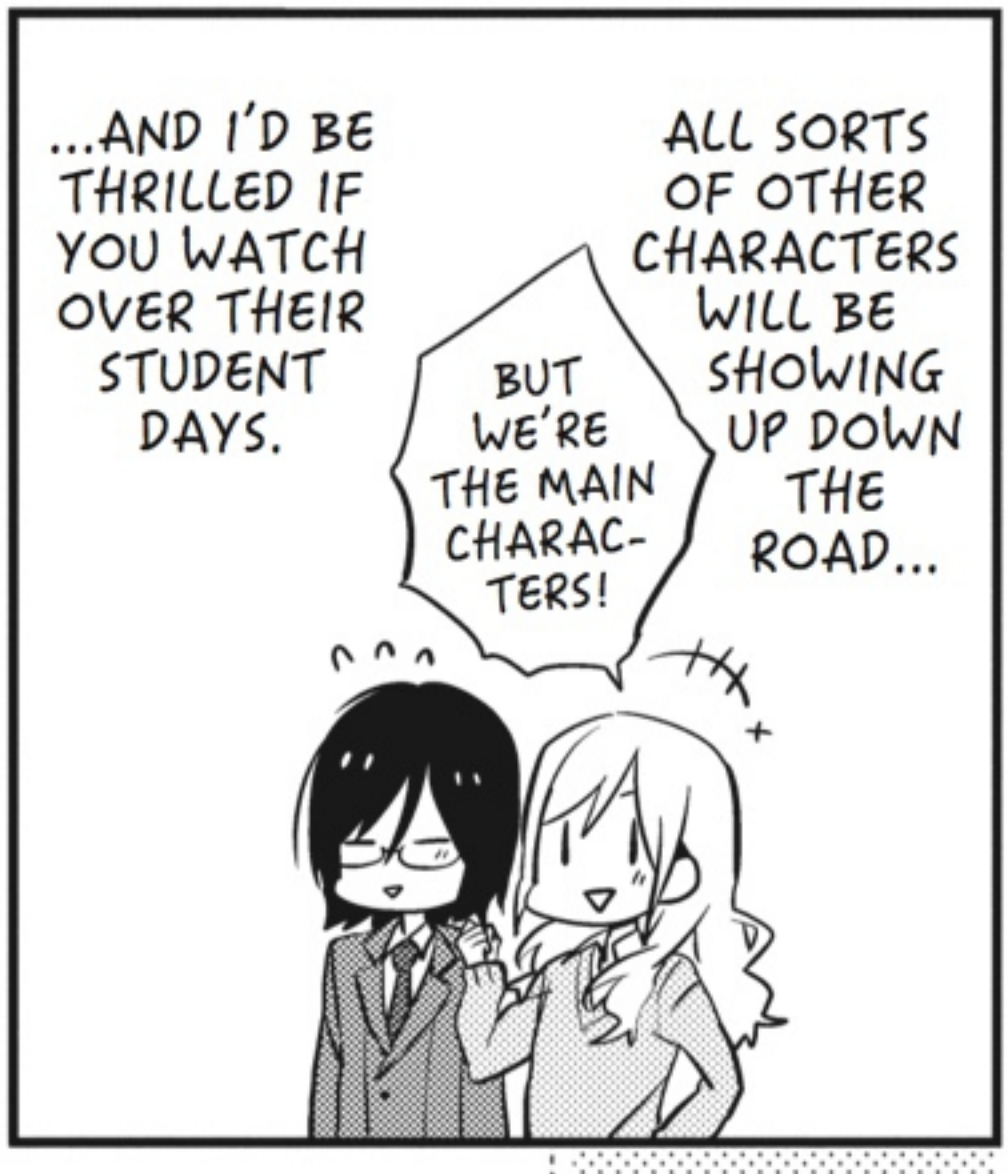

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